

MIDDLETOWN DAILY ARGUS.

VOL. XXIII, NO. 6,551.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., FRIDAY, JAN. 21, 1898.

30 CENTS PER MONTH, PRICE 2 CENTS.

SAVED BY A PORTER

Shore Road Boston Express Has a Narrow Escape.

CAR POUNDED THE TRACK A MILE.

A Wheel Broke, but the Prompt Action of a Colored Employee Named Sutton Averted a Probably Serious Accident.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—But for the presence of mind and prompt action of a colored porter, the fast Boston Shore line express of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad would have been wrecked and the lives of many passengers probably lost in Mamaroneck last night.

A wheel on one of the cars gave way, letting the car down upon the tracks. It would have jumped the tracks and pulled the whole train down a ten foot embankment had not J. W. Sutton, a porter, seized the lever operating the automatic air brakes and brought the train to a stop just in time.

The train was going at the rate of a mile a minute when the accident happened. It left Boston over the Shore road at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and was due at the Grand Central station at 7 o'clock. It was made up of four parlor and two ordinary cars.

When the train pulled out of New London, Conn., it was crowded. The engineer was several minutes late at Norwalk, Conn., and he "opened her up" wide on the run to the Grand Central station. There are no intermediate stops. Soon after the train shot past the station in Mamaroneck passengers in the first car were startled by a pounding under the front end of the car. At first it sounded like the noise produced by a flat or worn wheel.

As it increased in violence they became restless. The car began to jump, almost shaking the passengers from their seats. Finally there was a deafening crash, and the front of the coach seemed to settle down on the rails.

Passengers jumped to their feet, and some opened windows and prepared to jump out. Women became hysterical, and three of them fainted, greatly increasing the excitement. Apparently there was not a person sufficiently composed to pull the signal rope, although a notice is printed at each end of the car to pull the lever in case of accident. The car bumped over the rails, swaying from side to side. Each instant the terrified passengers expected it to jump the tracks.

Sutton was the first man to recover his wits. He staggered through the car and pulled the lever governing the automatic air brakes. For a time there was no perceptible slackening of the speed, but gradually the brakes began to work, and finally the train was stopped a mile from the spot where the break occurred.

When the train came to a stand, the passengers, pale and nervous, hurried from the train. The rim of a "boggy" wheel on the front truck of the car had broken. It was on the left side of the car. The damaged wheel ripped out the bolts in the rails for nearly a mile.

Had Sutton not signaled when he did, the car would probably have jumped the track. The front wheels were partly off the track when the train was stopped. After a delay of 15 minutes, the passengers were transferred to a local train and brought to this city.

Agricultural Society Election.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—The New York State Association of County Agricultural societies met in Agricultural hall and elected officers as follows: President, J. H. Durkee; Sandy Hill; first vice president, D. W. Jackson; Central Bridge; second vice president, Philip Keck; Johnstown; treasurer, A. E. Brown; Batavia; secretary, George W. Harrison; Fort Edward; executive committee, Second Judicial district, Henry A. Reeves; Third, D. W. Jenkins; Fourth, W. T. Burleigh; Fifth, Ira Sharpe; Sixth, George McCann; Seventh, J. H. Sherman; Eighth, G. P. Deck.

President Dole's Reception.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The war department is making preparations for a notable reception to President Dole upon his arrival in Washington. Orders have been given to have all the troops stationed in this city and vicinity assembled at the station under command of Colonel Sumner, and a fine parade will mark the trip of the visitor from the train to his hotel, where he will be called upon by the high officials of the government. It is probable President McKinley will exchange visits with President Dole.

Crookedness Alleged in Poorhouse.

HUDSON, N. Y., Jan. 21.—A sensation has been created in Columbia county board of supervisors by an allegation made by Mr. Peabody of New Lebanon that an ex-supervisor of the poor had charged for more days for the care of paupers than they had been in the county poorhouse. He cited cases in which this plan had been pursued. A committee will investigate.

Request to Salvation Army.

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—James Eves, an old resident of this city, died lately very suddenly, and when his will was read his relatives found that he had bequeathed his whole estate, amounting to about \$20,000, to the Salvation Army. In his lifetime he had donated about an equal sum to the Army.

Mrs. Magowan No. 2 in Toronto.

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Barnes Magowan of Trenton is in this city, stopping with her sister-in-law, but refuses to be interviewed.

Mr. Gladstone's Health.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A dispatch from Cannes says that although Mr. Gladstone's neuralgia continues, he went out driving yesterday afternoon.

THE SHAW MISTRIAL.

Grand Jury Convened to Investigate the Embracery Charges.

CAMDEN, N. J., Jan. 21.—The Camden county grand jury has been convened in special session by Supreme Court Justice Garrison to investigate charges of jury embracery on the part of friends of Eli Shaw, whose trial was recently postponed by mutual consent of counsel, pending an investigation. Judge Garrison stated to the jury in a brief charge that Attorney General Grey of the state would be called into the case for the purpose of assisting in sifting evidence and questioning witnesses.

The justice suggested that the jury summon both the judges that sat in the Shaw mistrial. Any attempt to influence jurymen, whether successful or not, constituted embracery. The court would compel witnesses to answer all questions asked and would severely punish any person divulging the proceedings of the jury. At the conclusion of the charge the jury agreed to begin its investigation at once.

Suspected Green Goods Men.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—On complaint of Anthony Comstock, in his capacity of postoffice inspector, Deputy United States Marshal McMahon arrested George Morris at Port Chester and John Reedy at Pocantico Hills, two and a half miles northeast of Tarrytown, charged with conspiring to swindle by means of pretending to sell green goods. Morris was arrested at the Port Chester hotel. He was brought to this city, arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields and locked up in Ludlow Street jail in default of \$2,500 bail. The technical charge against Morris is using the mails for an improper purpose.

Many Counterfeit Notes Found.

HOBOKEN, N. J., Jan. 21.—Louis Heller, a German employed as a janitor in the clubhouse of the E. C. Schade association, in Angellique street, West Hoboken, surprised the members of the association yesterday by displaying \$55,000 in counterfeit money which he said he had found in a secret closet in the garret of the clubhouse. The building, which is a two-story frame structure, was formerly occupied by the members of the notorious Brooklyn gang, who were committed to the New Jersey state prison two years ago for counterfeiting.

To Investigate Elmira Reformatory.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—In the assembly, Mr. Maher of New York attempted to introduce a resolution providing for an investigation of the Elmira Reformatory. Speaker O'Grady would not permit it to be read, saying that it should be introduced in the form of a bill. It will be formulated as such by Mr. Maher. The purpose of the resolution was to appoint a special committee to conduct the investigation.

Lutgers Disappointed Them.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—In expectation of seeing Adolph L. Lutgers go on the witness stand, an immense crowd gathered around the criminal court building and endeavored to secure admittance to Judge Gary's courtroom. Lutgers, however, was not heard, the session being taken up with the hearing of other witnesses. The testimony was similar to that given in the former trial.

Babcock's Sudden Death.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Jan. 21.—Arthur H. Babcock, aged about 33 years, for the past dozen years manager of the Hartford and New York Transportation company, died suddenly at his home on High street from acute Bright's disease. He leaves a widow and a son. He was the son of the late Samuel Babcock, president of the Connecticut Valley railroad.

Historic House Purchased.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Jan. 21.—The historic stone house on Main street, in this city, one of the best known old buildings along the Hudson river, has just been purchased by the Poughkeepsie chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who will transform it into a museum of relics and antiquities. The house is at least 150 years old.

The Canal Investigation.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—In the assembly, the bill providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate the expenditures for the improvement of the canals was reported from the ways and means committee by Mr. Nixon, who moved that it be made a special order for next Wednesday morning, on second reading. The motion was carried.

Mrs. Naack Has Heart Disease.

AUBURN, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Mrs. Augusta Naack, who was brought from Long Island City to serve out a 15 years' sentence for complicity with Martin Thorne in the murder of William Guldensuppe, is suffering from heart disease. The prison physicians say that the heart trouble is of a nature that may result fatally at any time.

Clergyman Accepts a Call.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 21.—Rev. W. Brokaw, pastor of the Hope Congregational church, in this city, for the past nine years, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Utica, N. Y. He will begin his duties there March 6.

Kate Forsythe Dead.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Private advices received in this city announce the death in London of Kate Forsythe, the well known actress. She was born in this city and first appeared on the stage here at Wood's museum, in a minor comedy part.

Thought to Be Firebug's Work.

SARATOGA, Jan. 21.—An alleged incendiary fire destroyed the Stillwater sawmill, owned by former Canal Superintendent James Dougray, Jr., of Saratoga lake. Loss, \$3,000; insured.

GORMAN STILL LEADS

Maryland Senatorial Problem Is as Yet Unsolved.

UNITY OF DEMOCRATS AND BOLTERS.

The Eleven, Fully Under the Control of Their Leader, Vote Alternately For Shaw and Barber—Trying to Prolong the Struggle.

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 21.—The general assembly of Maryland in joint session took three ballots for United States senator without result. They were as follows:

First Ballot—Gorman, 47; McComas, 40; Shaw, 18; Parran, 3; Shryock, 2; Mullikin, 2; Findlay, 2. Total, 114. Necessary to choice, 58. Absent, 3.

Second Ballot—Gorman, 47; McComas, 40; Barber, 17; Parran, 3; Shryock, 2; Findlay, 2; Mullikin, 2; Shaw, 1. Total, 114.

Third Ballot—Gorman, 47; McComas, 40; Shaw, 18; Parran, 3; Findlay, 2; Mullikin, 2; Shryock, 2. Total, 114.

The effect of the voting is to leave the solution of the senatorial problem as much in doubt as the end of the



SENATOR GORMAN.

struggle apparently as far off as it was before the balloting began. Even the best informed will not venture upon a positive prediction as to the outcome, and no claims are made save by boastful partisans. While it is true that both the leading candidates make gains, it is equally true that both are far from the goal and that both have shown nearly if not quite the full extent of their present following.

One thing is made clear, and that is the fact that perfect sympathy and unity exist between the Democrats and the bolting Republicans in the Baltimore city delegation. This was clearly shown when, after the second ballot, an attempt was made to adjourn the joint convention. The Democrats and the bolters voted solidly against the motion and defeated it. Another fact is that the "eleven," as they have been called, are seemingly stronger than ever and are fully under the control of their leader.

Together with six men from the eastern shore and Senator Day of Howard county they voted alternately for Shaw and for Barber at a signal from their leader, indicating that there are now 18 of them and that they can be handled in any manner the leaders may desire. This appears to have discouraged the McComas men, who are not nearly so confident as they have been, whereas the eleven are jubilant and their Democratic allies are serene.

The Democrats have two points to gain by protracting the struggle, for the longer this fight is on the more it disrupts the Republican party, and they have not entirely abandoned the hope of protracting it through the session, thereby making it possible that Mr. Gorman's successor will have to be chosen by the legislature which will meet in January, 1900.

Accused of Hypnotism.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 21.—In court here James Dudley, on behalf of his daughter Lucy, sued R. B. Noble for \$2,000 damages arising from having been hypnotized. Lucy once worked for Noble as a domestic, and while she was in his employ a quantity of jewelry was stolen. Lucy was suspected, and Noble secured the services of a hypnotist, who exercised his art upon the girl in order to see if she would confess. As a result she was ill for several months and is now suing to recover damages for injury to her health. The case was not concluded.

Failed to Identify Him.

BROOKFIELD, Mass., Jan. 21.—Deputy Sheriff Tarbell went to Pittsfield, but failed to identify the man arrested in Great Barrington as Paul Muller, the supposed murderer of the Newton family. Mr. Tarbell then left for Westbury, N. Y., to look at a man under arrest at that place who, he thinks, is the man for whom he is searching.

Hallet Kilbourn's Mind Affected.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Hallet Kilbourn, who achieved national notoriety in 1876 by being thrust into the District jail for refusing to answer questions propounded by a committee of the house of representatives, has developed such a mental condition that the District court has directed that his sanity be inquired into.

Suing His Father-in-law.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—David Platt Osborn, Jr., who says that his wife's affections have been alienated from him by her father, John M. Kinney of Norwalk, Conn., is suing the latter for \$50,000 damages in the United States circuit court here.

President Withdraws Nominations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The president has withdrawn the nominations of Post Assistant Paymasters Edwin B. Webster and George W. Simpson to be paymasters in the navy.

PARRA SURRENDERS

Insurgent General Lays Down Arms at Fomento.

BLANCO SENDS NEWS TO DE LOME.

Losses of the Cubans For the Last Ten Days—Govin, Minister of Interior, Has to Dodge Riases—Baviana's Mayor Is Installed.

HAVANA, Jan. 21.—The Spanish authorities report that the insurgent general Juan Maso Parra, with the forces under his command, Lieutenants Colonel Augustine Faria and Jose Carmen Hernandez, Majors Feliciano Quesada, Saturnino Leon and Victoriano Gomez, with six other officers and 110 privates, well armed and well supplied with ammunition, have surrendered at Fomento to the Spanish general Aguirre and Senior Marcos Garcia, governor of Santa Clara province.

The insurgents are said to have formed in line and delivered up their arms according to the ordinance, shouting "Long live Spain," "Long live the queen regent," "Long live Spanish Cuba" and "Long live autonomy." General Juan Maso Parra is a brother of Senior Bartolome Maso, president of the Cuban Republic.

During the last ten days the insurgents are said to have lost 115 killed and 34 taken prisoners, with 242 remaining rifles. In addition to those who surrendered with General Juan Maso Parra, according to the Spanish authorities, 56 other armed men have surrendered, among them two lieutenant colonels and three other officers. The Spanish troops, on the other hand, are said to have lost 12 killed and 93 wounded.

The members of the cabinet will issue a manifesto explaining "the salient points of the scheme of autonomy and its advantages over independence," together with an appeal to the insurgents to surrender. When Senior Govin, minister of the interior, landed here, he hastened through the rear entrance of the custom house in order to avoid being hissed by the crowd.

The new mayor of Havana, the Marquis de Estaban, has entered upon his duties. The 12 Conservative and Reformist aldermen retired and were succeeded by 12 Autonomists.

Parra's Surrender Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Spanish minister received a cablegram from General Blanco confirming the preceding dispatch and giving the details as there stated. General Blanco says the form of presentation was of such a dignified character as will serve as a model for those to follow. The cable continues:

"The rank of Juan Maso, his close family connection with Bartolome Maso, president of the so called Cuban Republic, and the formal and military character of the capitulation give unusual importance to the act."

To Honor Henry Clay Work.

HARTFORD, Jan. 21.—A movement has been started here by a number of prominent G. A. R. men toward the erection of a suitable monument over the remains of Henry Clay Work, whose "Marching Through Georgia," "Nodemo" and other war lyrics will be long remembered and whose grave is unmarked by any distinguishing tablet. A committee styled the "Henry Clay Work committee," which includes Mayor Preston, ex-Mayors Morgan G. Bulkeley, Captain J. G. Root, Captain H. C. Dwight and other members of the local G. A. R. post, is in charge of the memorial, and it is hoped to readily obtain the necessary funds by Grand Army and popular subscriptions.

Pardoned to Die at Home.

AUBURN, N. Y., Jan. 21.—John Flemming, a New York man, who was serving a sentence of five years and six months for burglary in the second degree, has been released on a pardon from the governor. Flemming's sentence would have expired next September, but he is in the last stages of consumption, and Governor Black granted the pardon so that he could go home to die.

A Jack the Ripper Seize.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The finding of the decomposed body of a woman in Regents canal, Shoreditch, gave rise to a short lived rumor of another murder like those committed by Jack the Ripper. No marks of violence, however, were found on the body, and the police and doctors declare that death was due to accident or suicide.

Postmasters Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The following named fourth class postmasters have been appointed: Pennsylvania—Dupont, John M. Phillips; Indian Creek, F. R. King; Lower John Rider; Rhodes, William H. Rhodes. New York—Fair Haven, Henry S. McArthur; Orchard Park, Frank S. Brady; Ossian, Frank A. Kysor.

An Award to Tioga County.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—The state court of claims has made to Tioga county an award of \$4,000 in the matter of the claim for damages arising from the abandonment of the County Insane Institution when the state care act placed all the insane in state hospitals.

Life Sentence For Murphy.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 21.—John Murphy, who on Jan. 5 was convicted of murdering his brother-in-law, Joseph De Amarel, was sentenced to imprisonment for life in the state prison at Cranston by Judge Wilbur.

Child Pianist Becomes Blind.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Milada Czerny, the child pianist, has lost her eyesight. The talented girl, as a result, who is not yet 5 years old, has been compelled to give up concert engagements in New York and Boston.

DEFENDS PRINCETON INN.

President Patton Indorses the Action of Professor Shields.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—With ringing cheers that told of enthusiastic conviction 300 alumni of Princeton university, at their annual banquet at Delmonico's last night, cast defiance in the teeth of those who criticised the use of liquors in the famous Princeton inn.

The Rev. Dr. Charles Woodruff Shields, who resigned from the Presbyterian church because of the condemnation heaped upon him for signing the application for the inn's license, was the especial object of the graduates' approval.

At every mention of his name they sprang to their feet and cheered him until, from his seat at the guests' table, he bowed nervous acknowledgment. President Francis L. Patton indorsed them fully. In his speech he criticised prohibition and was heartily cheered for his stand.

In regard to the Princeton inn controversy he said:

"I shall not indulge in harsh language, though I am tempted to be indignant when I think how good men have been maligned and pure motives have been impugned. I wish to turn to good account the criticisms that we have received, ill advised as many of them have been. The friends who give us advice do not know our difficulties, and I cannot stop to explain them. But one thing is sure, prohibition will not stop drinking in Princeton; it will only increase the trade in corkscrews."

Scientific Expedition to Hawaii.

PRINCETON, N. J., Jan. 21.—Professor William Libbey of Princeton university proposes to conduct a scientific expedition to the Hawaiian Islands during the coming summer. He will take four or five Princeton students with him, and the party will be gone some four or five months. He thinks that there are scientific treasures on the islands, duplicates of which cannot be found anywhere else.

Anticartoon Bill Introduced.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—Senator Ellsworth has introduced a bill which combines his anticartoon bill of last year with the libel law and provides a penalty of imprisonment with a fine of \$1,000 for the publishing of a paper containing any libelous or degrading matter of any kind. It provides that each paper published must contain a statement of the names of the publisher and all the editors.

A New Steamship Company.

TRENTON, Jan. 21.—The Manhattan Steamship company of New York, with an authorized capital of \$1,000,000, has just been incorporated. The incorporators are Frank S. Howells, Walter Hoffman, Ferdinand Starbuck, Henry C. Howells, Jr., and Rudolph G. Paul of New York and Albert Wall of South Orange, N. J.

Will Punish His Assaultants.

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—The German missionary Homeyer of the Namjung station, who was recently robbed and wounded near a place called Langthen, has returned to Namjung. He is now out of danger. The Chinese authorities have taken measures to protect the missionary station and have promised satisfaction.

To Replace Consul Ashby.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The state department has ordered George H. Murphy, one of the clerks of the consular bureau here, to go at once to Colon and take charge of the consulate there, made vacant by the death of Consul Ashby.

The New Bedford Strike.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 21.—The only unusual incident connected with the strike yesterday was the appearance of the operatives in front of the Wametta and Grinnell mills to be paid off. Everything proceeded quietly.

Another Fire at Grand Forks.

GRAND FORKS, N. D., Jan. 21.—East Grand Forks has suffered another severe fire. An elevator and the bridge approach are in ruins, a number of store buildings burned, and the east end of the bridge is badly damaged.

Bushnell Seriously Ill.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 21.—A Washington Court House physician, who has been consulted by Governor Bushnell, says the governor is suffering from diabetes, and his recovery is doubtful.

Wife Murderer Clark Caught.

BUFFALO, Jan. 21.—Ed Clark, who so brutally murdered his wife, has been arrested at Clifton, Ont. Two officers sent from here have identified him.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The Japanese cruiser Kasagi has been launched at Philadelphia.

Henry W. Straight, who broke jail in Jersey City, has not yet been caught.

A man was drowned at Mount Kisco, N. Y., while trying to escape being hit by a train.

Henry Newhoff, arrested in Jersey City, admitted that he was guilty of highway robbery.

The Fall River (Mass.) mill employees complain that the new wage schedule is unequal in its reductions.

The Illinois Steel company will erect a slab mill at South Chicago that will give employment to 1,000 men.

A delegation of Chicago officials inspected Reading's big concrete sewer, the largest in the world outside of Paris.

The resolution calling on Senator Lindsay for his resignation was defeated in the Kentucky house of representatives.

SILVER DISCUSSION.

Senate Votes to Debate Mr. Teller's Resolution.

AMENDMENT TO HAWAIIAN TREATY.

Speaker Reed and Leader Bailey Have a Warm Argument in the House Over the Cuban Question—The Former Is Sustained.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—By the decisive vote of 41 to 25 the senate decided to proceed at once with the consideration of the resolution introduced a few days ago by Mr. Teller of Colorado, providing for the payment of bonds of the United States in silver at the option of the government.

Mr. Vest of Missouri, the member of the finance committee who had charge of the resolution, spoke briefly upon it, but disclaimed any desire at this time to thrash over the old straw of financial discussion. He believed, however, that the time was ripe for a reiteration with emphasis of the declaration of the Stanley Matthews resolution which had been placed on the statute books 20 years ago, particularly in view of recent statements of the secretary of the treasury, in which the president, who had, as a member of the house, voted for the original resolutions, evidently concurred.

Mr. Vest announced his intention to secure a final vote upon the resolution as soon as one could be reached and accentuated his intention by forcing the displacement of the census bill with the Teller resolution as the unfinished business.

Senator Morgan concluded his four day speech to the senate in executive session on the Hawaiian treaty. He spoke for almost four hours, and when he finished there were not more than half a dozen senators present. He discussed, among other questions, the character of the present government of Hawaii. He contended that the disposition of the whites was to treat the Kanakas liberally and said in reply to a question from Senator Hoar that there was one native in President Dole's cabinet and five natives in the senate, while a majority of the members of the house were natives. The senator read liberally from published documents on Hawaii, including a history of the various constitutions of the island.

Senator Bacon of Georgia offered an amendment to the treaty providing for a vote on it by the people of Hawaii by offering the amendment to Senator Morgan's bill for annexation, thus making the amendment public. It is as follows:

"That this act shall not be operative and of binding effect upon either the United States of America or the Republic of Hawaii until the same shall have been consented to and approved by the majority of the voters voting at an election to be held in the Hawaiian Islands, at which election all male natives of said islands of the age of 21 years and all naturalized male persons of the age of 21 years shall vote, at a time and in the manner and under regulations to be prescribed by the president of the United States."

Reed and Bailey Have a Tiff.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Speaker Reed, from the rostrum of the house, and Mr. Bailey, leader of the Democrats, from his place on the floor, glared at each other at the close of the Cuban debate and joined an issue of veracity. This sensational episode completely overshadowed the interest in the Cuban debate, which has continued uninterruptedly in the house for three days during the consideration of the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. When a motion was made by Mr. Bailey to recommitt the bill, with instructions, it was ruled out of order by the speaker.

Mr. Bailey thereupon startled the house by affirming that he had a private understanding with the speaker by which a vote should be taken directly on the motion to recommit. This the speaker emphatically denied, and these two leaders of their respective parties in the house, with white faces and voices shaken by emotion, set their statements against each other while the galleries looked on in breathless amazement and the members were in an uproar. Mr. Smith of Michigan, who said he was present, corroborated the speaker's side of the case.

The result of the speaker's position was that an appeal was taken from his decision, and by a strict party vote it was laid on the table—168 to 111—the Democrats and Populists, as on the two previous days, voting against the solid Republican strength.

The debate was not as interesting as on either of the two preceding days. The features were a characteristic speech by Champ Clark (Mo.), a strong appeal for conservation from Mr. Johnson (Rep., Ind.), a presentation of the results of his observations in Cuba during his recent trip to the island from Mr. King (Dem., Utah) and an hour speech by Mr. Dingley (Me.) in explanation of the causes of the reduction of the wages in the New England cotton industry.

Mail Box Robbers at Work.

ROCHESTER, Jan. 21.—Robbers of United States mail boxes are operating in this city. Several boxes were opened with keys in the possession of the thieves or by some other method which did not injure the locks. Drafts and money were taken from the letters, which were then returned to the mail boxes. About 50 opened letters have been found.

Garret Cochran Goes West.

PRINCETON, N. J., Jan. 21.—Captain Garret Cochran of Princeton's football eleven the past season, has started for the University of California, where he goes to coach both the baseball and football teams of that institution. Cochran was one of the most players in Princeton university.

MIDDLETOWN TIME TABLES.

Erie Railroad Co.

Trains leave from Middletown Station, beginning Nov. 28, 1897, and continuing until further notice, as follows:

Trains marked with * run daily. Trains Nos. 501, 502, 503, 504 and 505 run Sundays only. All other trains run daily except Sundays. *Trains Nos. 1 & 2 will stop only for passengers for Birmingham or west thereof—due to the fact that the following letters indicate connection, viz: "G" with Newburg Branch via Graycourt; "A" with Newburg Branch short cut via Turpin; "B" with Newburg Branch short cut via Adams; "C" with Pine Island Branch; "D" with Pine Island Branch.

GOING EAST.	
James St. Sta.	Main St. Sta.
No. 1 Chicago Ex.	4.49 a.m.
No. 10 New York Special ..	6.01 " "
No. 11 Middletown Way ..	6.30 " "
No. 12 Orange Co. Ex. G. M. ..	7.10 " "
No. 13 Mountain Ex. (P. G.) ..	7.15 " "
No. 14 Valley Ex. (P. G.) ..	7.30 " "
No. 15 Del. Val. Ex. (P. G.) ..	7.55 " "
No. 16 P. J. Local T.	8.00 " "
No. 17 P. J. Local T.	8.15 " "
No. 18 Wells Fargo Express ..	10.40 " "
No. 19 P. J. Local (Sun only) ..	8.35 a.m.
No. 20 P. J. Local (Sun only) ..	8.50 p.m.
No. 21 M. K. (Sun only) ..	8.55 p.m.

GOING WEST.	
James St. Sta.	Main St. Sta.
No. 111 Port Jervis Way ..	10.35 a.m.
No. 112 Port Jervis Way ..	11.04 a.m.
No. 113 Port Jervis Way ..	11.35 a.m.
No. 114 Port Jervis Way ..	12.04 p.m.
No. 115 Port Jervis Way ..	1.01 p.m.
No. 116 Port Jervis Way ..	1.30 p.m.
No. 117 Port Jervis Way ..	2.01 p.m.
No. 118 Port Jervis Way ..	2.30 p.m.
No. 119 Port Jervis Way ..	3.01 p.m.
No. 120 Port Jervis Way ..	3.30 p.m.
No. 121 Port Jervis Way ..	4.01 p.m.
No. 122 Port Jervis Way ..	4.30 p.m.
No. 123 Port Jervis Way ..	5.01 p.m.
No. 124 Port Jervis Way ..	5.30 p.m.
No. 125 Port Jervis Way ..	6.01 p.m.
No. 126 Port Jervis Way ..	6.30 p.m.
No. 127 Port Jervis Way ..	7.01 p.m.
No. 128 Port Jervis Way ..	7.30 p.m.
No. 129 Port Jervis Way ..	8.01 p.m.
No. 130 Port Jervis Way ..	8.30 p.m.
No. 131 Port Jervis Way ..	9.01 p.m.
No. 132 Port Jervis Way ..	9.30 p.m.
No. 133 Port Jervis Way ..	10.01 p.m.
No. 134 Port Jervis Way ..	10.30 p.m.
No. 135 Port Jervis Way ..	11.01 p.m.
No. 136 Port Jervis Way ..	11.30 p.m.
No. 137 Port Jervis Way ..	12.01 a.m.
No. 138 Port Jervis Way ..	12.30 a.m.
No. 139 Port Jervis Way ..	1.01 a.m.
No. 140 Port Jervis Way ..	1.30 a.m.
No. 141 Port Jervis Way ..	2.01 a.m.
No. 142 Port Jervis Way ..	2.30 a.m.
No. 143 Port Jervis Way ..	3.01 a.m.
No. 144 Port Jervis Way ..	3.30 a.m.
No. 145 Port Jervis Way ..	4.01 a.m.
No. 146 Port Jervis Way ..	4.30 a.m.
No. 147 Port Jervis Way ..	5.01 a.m.
No. 148 Port Jervis Way ..	5.30 a.m.
No. 149 Port Jervis Way ..	6.01 a.m.
No. 150 Port Jervis Way ..	6.30 a.m.
No. 151 Port Jervis Way ..	7.01 a.m.
No. 152 Port Jervis Way ..	7.30 a.m.
No. 153 Port Jervis Way ..	8.01 a.m.
No. 154 Port Jervis Way ..	8.30 a.m.
No. 155 Port Jervis Way ..	9.01 a.m.
No. 156 Port Jervis Way ..	9.30 a.m.
No. 157 Port Jervis Way ..	10.01 a.m.
No. 158 Port Jervis Way ..	10.30 a.m.
No. 159 Port Jervis Way ..	11.01 a.m.
No. 160 Port Jervis Way ..	11.30 a.m.
No. 161 Port Jervis Way ..	12.01 p.m.
No. 162 Port Jervis Way ..	12.30 p.m.
No. 163 Port Jervis Way ..	1.01 p.m.
No. 164 Port Jervis Way ..	1.30 p.m.
No. 165 Port Jervis Way ..	2.01 p.m.
No. 166 Port Jervis Way ..	2.30 p.m.
No. 167 Port Jervis Way ..	3.01 p.m.
No. 168 Port Jervis Way ..	3.30 p.m.
No. 169 Port Jervis Way ..	4.01 p.m.
No. 170 Port Jervis Way ..	4.30 p.m.
No. 171 Port Jervis Way ..	5.01 p.m.
No. 172 Port Jervis Way ..	5.30 p.m.
No. 173 Port Jervis Way ..	6.01 p.m.
No. 174 Port Jervis Way ..	6.30 p.m.
No. 175 Port Jervis Way ..	7.01 p.m.
No. 176 Port Jervis Way ..	7.30 p.m.
No. 177 Port Jervis Way ..	8.01 p.m.
No. 178 Port Jervis Way ..	8.30 p.m.
No. 179 Port Jervis Way ..	9.01 p.m.
No. 180 Port Jervis Way ..	9.30 p.m.
No. 181 Port Jervis Way ..	10.01 p.m.
No. 182 Port Jervis Way ..	10.30 p.m.
No. 183 Port Jervis Way ..	11.01 p.m.
No. 184 Port Jervis Way ..	11.30 p.m.
No. 185 Port Jervis Way ..	12.01 a.m.
No. 186 Port Jervis Way ..	12.30 a.m.
No. 187 Port Jervis Way ..	1.01 a.m.
No. 188 Port Jervis Way ..	1.30 a.m.
No. 189 Port Jervis Way ..	2.01 a.m.
No. 190 Port Jervis Way ..	2.30 a.m.
No. 191 Port Jervis Way ..	3.01 a.m.
No. 192 Port Jervis Way ..	3.30 a.m.
No. 193 Port Jervis Way ..	4.01 a.m.
No. 194 Port Jervis Way ..	4.30 a.m.
No. 195 Port Jervis Way ..	5.01 a.m.
No. 196 Port Jervis Way ..	5.30 a.m.
No. 197 Port Jervis Way ..	6.01 a.m.
No. 198 Port Jervis Way ..	6.30 a.m.
No. 199 Port Jervis Way ..	7.01 a.m.
No. 200 Port Jervis Way ..	7.30 a.m.

Crawford Branch.	
No.	Leave from Pine Bush
No. 101 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.55 a.m.
No. 102 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.40 a.m.
No. 103 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.55 a.m.
No. 104 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.10 p.m.
No. 105 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.25 p.m.
No. 106 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.40 p.m.
No. 107 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.55 p.m.
No. 108 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.10 p.m.
No. 109 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.25 p.m.
No. 110 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.40 p.m.
No. 111 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.55 p.m.
No. 112 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.10 p.m.
No. 113 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.25 p.m.
No. 114 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.40 p.m.
No. 115 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.55 p.m.
No. 116 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.10 p.m.
No. 117 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.25 p.m.
No. 118 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.40 p.m.
No. 119 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.55 p.m.
No. 120 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.10 p.m.
No. 121 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.25 p.m.
No. 122 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.40 p.m.
No. 123 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.55 p.m.
No. 124 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.10 p.m.
No. 125 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.25 p.m.
No. 126 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.40 p.m.
No. 127 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.55 p.m.
No. 128 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.10 p.m.
No. 129 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.25 p.m.
No. 130 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.40 p.m.
No. 131 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.55 p.m.
No. 132 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.10 p.m.
No. 133 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.25 p.m.
No. 134 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.40 p.m.
No. 135 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.55 p.m.
No. 136 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.10 p.m.
No. 137 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.25 p.m.
No. 138 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.40 p.m.
No. 139 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.55 p.m.
No. 140 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.10 p.m.
No. 141 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.25 p.m.
No. 142 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.40 p.m.
No. 143 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.55 p.m.
No. 144 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.10 p.m.
No. 145 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.25 p.m.
No. 146 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.40 p.m.
No. 147 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.55 p.m.
No. 148 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.10 p.m.
No. 149 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.25 p.m.
No. 150 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.40 p.m.
No. 151 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.55 p.m.
No. 152 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.10 a.m.
No. 153 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.25 a.m.
No. 154 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.40 a.m.
No. 155 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.55 a.m.
No. 156 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.10 a.m.
No. 157 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.25 a.m.
No. 158 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.40 a.m.
No. 159 Pine Bush Mail ..	1.55 a.m.
No. 160 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.10 a.m.
No. 161 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.25 a.m.
No. 162 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.40 a.m.
No. 163 Pine Bush Mail ..	2.55 a.m.
No. 164 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.10 a.m.
No. 165 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.25 a.m.
No. 166 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.40 a.m.
No. 167 Pine Bush Mail ..	3.55 a.m.
No. 168 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.10 a.m.
No. 169 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.25 a.m.
No. 170 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.40 a.m.
No. 171 Pine Bush Mail ..	4.55 a.m.
No. 172 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.10 a.m.
No. 173 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.25 a.m.
No. 174 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.40 a.m.
No. 175 Pine Bush Mail ..	5.55 a.m.
No. 176 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.10 a.m.
No. 177 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.25 a.m.
No. 178 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.40 a.m.
No. 179 Pine Bush Mail ..	6.55 a.m.
No. 180 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.10 a.m.
No. 181 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.25 a.m.
No. 182 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.40 a.m.
No. 183 Pine Bush Mail ..	7.55 a.m.
No. 184 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.10 a.m.
No. 185 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.25 a.m.
No. 186 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.40 a.m.
No. 187 Pine Bush Mail ..	8.55 a.m.
No. 188 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.10 a.m.
No. 189 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.25 a.m.
No. 190 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.40 a.m.
No. 191 Pine Bush Mail ..	9.55 a.m.
No. 192 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.10 a.m.
No. 193 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.25 a.m.
No. 194 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.40 a.m.
No. 195 Pine Bush Mail ..	10.55 a.m.
No. 196 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.10 a.m.
No. 197 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.25 a.m.
No. 198 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.40 a.m.
No. 199 Pine Bush Mail ..	11.55 a.m.
No. 200 Pine Bush Mail ..	12.10 p.m.

Casino Theatre

ONE SOLID WEEK.

COMMENCING MONDAY,

JANUARY 17TH.

Matinee Saturday. Annual

tour of the brilliant artiste,

ALMA CHESTER,

Supported by a first-class company of actors, singers, dancers and specialists in the following repertoire:

Friday—An American's Victory.

Saturday—Ticket of Leave.

Matinee—Mabel Heath.

Special Scenery, Properties, Mechanical and Electrical Effects earned for each play.

Prices, Evening, 10, 20, 30 Cents

Prices, Matinee, 10, 20 Cents.

SEATS NOW ON SALE

ORANGE CO. SURROGATE'S COURT

Business Done in Orange County Surrogate's Court.

Report of proceedings before Surrogate O. P. Howell ending Jan. 18, 1898: WILLS ADMITTED.

The wills of the following persons have been admitted to probate: Last will and testament of Reuben C. Mead, late of Wawayanda, Charles L. Mead, ex'r; of Frances S. Howell, late of Blooming Grove, Nathan S. Howell, ex'r; of John W. Earl, late of the village of Rutherford, N. J.; State of New Jersey, who died leaving property in the County of Orange, Lena Earl, ex'r; of Armina Foster, late of Warwick, James W. Knapp, ex'r; of Harriet A. Low, late of Middletown, Benj. F. Low and Frank Harding, ex'r's; of Ella S. Hanford, late of Middletown, Edwin T. Hanford, ex'r; of William B. King, late of Chester, William B. King, Jr., ex'r; of William L. Cole, late of Deerpark, George W. Cole and Floyd W. Cole, ex'r's; of Silas Vail, late of Middletown, Ella M. Vail and Charles Vail, ex'r's.

Letters of administration have been granted on the following estates: Of Thomas B. Wilson, late of Crawford, to Sarah W. Wilson, widow, and Newton Higby, friend; of Ella D. Dwyer, late of Montgomery, to Mary E. Dwyer, friend; of Sarah Jane Gregory, late of Goshen, to James C. Gregory, widow; of Rev. James C. Forsythe, late of Montgomery, to Emma Shafer, niece; of Daniel Hogen, late of Bayonne, N. J., who died leaving assets in the County of Orange, to Catharine Hogen, widow; of Mary Spaulding, late of Newburgh city, to Ruins H. Hobbs, son; of Frank Julian, late of Goshen, to Ada Julian, widow, and Ernest Shaw, friend; of Anthony Volklinger, late of Highlands, to Mary Ann Volklinger, widow.

GUARDIANSHIP.

The following letters of guardianship have been issued: On the person and property of Alice Josephine Miller and Howard Pierson Miller to Joseph E. V. Miller, father, all of Warwick; of Happy Theodora Van Wyck, to Kate B. Van Wyck, mother, of Otsego County, Nebraska, who has property in the County of Orange; of Mabel Hickley, to Charles W. Embler, friend, all of Montgomery; of Margaret C. Cocks and William B. Cocks, to Charles E. Cocks, father, all of Cornwall; of John Kidd, to John E. Kidd, father, both of Montgomery.

DECREEES.

The following decrees have been entered:

In the matter of the judicial accounting of Kate B. Van Wyck, adm'x with the will annexed of Elizabeth Van Wyck, late of Middletown; of Jacob N. Case and Jeremiah G. Case, ex'r's of William N. Case, late of Deerpark; of William H. Faulkner and Charles G. Hunt, Sr., ex'r's of Hannah F. Hunt, late of Montgomery.

The next hearing in the matter of the judicial settlement of the estate of William Greene, late of the town of Warwick, is set down for Monday, Jan. 24th, at Goshen.

A hearing was had before the Surrogate

at Newburgh on Jan. 18th, in the matter of contesting the last will and testament of Ellen C. Gillespie, late of the City of Newburgh. Testimony taken on behalf of the contestant and the next hearing set down for Feb. 8th, at the same place.

BEFORE HON. J. B. SWEZEY, SPECIAL SURROGATE.

Wills Admitted:—Of Mary Bohan, late of the town of Deerpark, Michael Salley, ex'r.

Decrees:—In the matter of distributing the proceeds arising from the sale of the real estate of Charles St. John, late of the town of Deerpark, made by Lewis E. Carr and Stephen St. John, adm'rs.

OTISVILLE.

Concerts by the Band—Personal Notes

—Death of Lewis Ozden.

Correspondence Argus and Mercury.

The Otisville Cornet band will give two grand concerts under the direction of Cornelius Higgins at Van Duzer's hall Friday and Saturday evenings, Jan. 21 and 22. The programme will include instrumental solos, duets and trios, full band selections and vocal solos and choruses. Mr. Higgins comes to us highly recommended. This will be a musical treat and all lovers of good music are earnestly solicited to attend the concert general admission only ten and fifteen cents.

—Miss Armanda McBride, of Jersey City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. J. Green, and other friends in the vicinity.

—Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Hulise of Middletown, were guests of Mrs. Beyer, Saturday.

—News of the death of Lewis Ogden has been received by his friends here. Mr. Ogden went to Illinois when a young man married and has always remained there, only returning to visit his friends two years ago.

Legislators Asked to Urge Keefe's

Candidates for Railroad Commissioner

Senator Lexow and Assemblymen Schultz and Goodsell have been asked by the railroad organizations of this county to wait on Gov. Black and urge the appointment of Peter F. Keefe, of Rochester, as Railroad Commissioner in place of Frank M. Baker. The legislators will do as the railroad men ask. Assemblyman Schultz, who is a conductor, is much interested in Keefe's candidacy, but admits that Keefe's chances are not good.

Disfigurement for life by burns or scalds

may be avoided by using DeWitt's

Witch Hazel Salve, the great remedy for

rises and for all kinds of sores and skin

troubles. W. D. Olney.

For Delicacy,

for city, and for improvement of the complexion nothing equals Pozzoni's Powder

BEARS GO VISITING.

Jack Thinks His Bushel of Buckwheat

Was a Good Investment.

The total failure of the beechnut crop has brought the Maine bears to the verge of starvation, so that many sly old animals are coming out to the clearings and getting shot while looking for something to eat, says the Boston Herald.

Jack Gilpatrick, an aged bear hunter, who occupies a camp on the side of Chick's hill, in the town of Clifton, gave up the hunt and took in his traps a month ago and went to shooting and poisoning bobcats, because he could find no bears. Late in October he went out for more wildcats, and in passing through a beech wood saw recent traces of a bear that had been scratching up the falling leaves and eating what few beechnuts of last year's crop he could find.

The next day Jack went down to the store and bought a bushel of a new kind of buckwheat, which had a large kernel. A grain of buckwheat bears the same relation to a beechnut that a snowball does to a satellite; they are shaped alike, but one is infinitely larger than the other. But Jack boiled his buckwheat all night, and when he spread it among the beech trees the next morning a bear that wore magnifying glasses might possibly mistake it for beechnuts. Some hunters came along while Jack was setting his bear traps among the buckwheat and covering them with leaves, and when they saw what he was doing made fun of him and told about him at the post office, so that everybody heard of it and the story got into the newspapers.

Two days later Jack took a big fat bear to Bangor and sold it for \$30. Since then he has caught two smaller bears from the same lot and is looking for more. As the bushel of buckwheat cost but 75 cents Jack thinks it was a good investment.

THE INDEMNITY WAS PAID.

Brought About by Moving the Legation

to a Warship.

"This controversy between Hayti and Germany over the Lueders case," said an old resident to a Washington Star reporter recently, "brings to my mind the fact that the United States at one time at least during my life showed the same spirit that Germany did in demanding an indemnity at the point of a gun. The incident happened just after the close of the war and was about the same kind of affair. The Brazilian government had imprisoned or treated an American citizen in some outrageous way, and the American minister at Rio Janeiro, acting on his instructions, demanded an indemnity. He was put off from day to day, and finally from week to week, until he made up his mind that he was either going to do his duty or lose his position, so he said nothing more about the matter, but waited for a United States war ship to anchor in the harbor. When the vessel arrived he quietly moved his effects from the legation to the boat and then announced to the powers in Brazil that he had located the United States legation on the deck of a United States war ship, and that unless that indemnity was forthcoming in three hours he would shell the town. The indemnity was paid."

ENGLAND'S COAL SUPPLY.

Is Nervously Discussing Its Possible

Exhaustion.

Once again England nervously is discussing the possible exhaustion of her coal supply, which forms the backbone of her commercial supremacy. Leonard Courtney, as president of the Statistical society, this week more than confirms Prof. Jevons' view that the supply will be in peril within an ordinary lifetime. The output for 1896 actually was 30 per cent. less than it would have been if the rate of progress in Jevons' time had been maintained. While the British output has increased less than 2 1/2 times since 1860, the American output has increased tenfold, while the American cost of output has greatly increased. This confirms the Spectator's belief that America soon will occupy a position of unchallenged supremacy in the industrial world. England must adjust herself to a smaller output of coal and iron, and a readjustment of vocations.

"If," adds the Spectator, "English supremacy be destroyed, it will be not through the failure of coal, but through incapacity to keep pace with the electric development in America and Germany."

A NEW MAP OF ALASKA.

Important Surveys of the Yukon and

Surrounding Country to Be Made.

The United States geodetic survey ship McArthur has been ordered to Alaskan waters and with the opening of spring will head for the Yukon river, there to remain until a series of important surveys have been accomplished and a thorough study of the country made. The McArthur lies on the ways at the Hay & Wright ship yards at Oakland, Cal., receiving repairs, but will soon be in readiness for active service.

Capt. L. Wilhelm, in charge of the ship, under instructions from the navy department at Washington, has secured bids for towing a small stern wheel steamer to the mouth of the Yukon to aid in the surveying work and to serve for the navigation of rivers too shallow for the McArthur.

The McArthur will work up the Alaskan

coast, taking observations until the

mouth of the Yukon is reached. Then

the stern wheel will be brought into

use and the crew and officers will go up

the Yukon as far as possible, carefully

surveying the country and preparing

charts for a new government map of the

district.

Birds Killed for Plumage.

In one consignment recently a feather

dealer in London received 6,000 birds

of paradise, 360,000 birds of various

kinds from the East Indies and 400,000

hammering birds. In three months another

dealer imported 336,393 birds

from the East Indies.

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

Which is Better—Try and Experiment

or Profit by an Middletown Citizen's

DAILY ARGUS

C. MACARDELL, JR.,
PUBLISHER.
GEORGE H. THOMPSON
W. F. BAILEY,
A. E. RICKINSON,
EDITORS.
Office 11 and 13 King St., Middletown.

Delivered by carriers to any part of this city and Goshen or mailed to any part of the United States.
TERMS:—1 month, 30 cents; 3 months, 90 cts.; 6 months, \$1.50; 1 year, \$3.00.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY MERCURY

ISSUED EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.
TERMS—\$1.50 Per Year, 75c. For Six Months

THE EXTENSIVE BONA-FIDE CIRCULATION of the ARGUS and MERCURY makes them excellent advertising mediums. Being the only Democratic papers published in Middletown, they have a field exclusively their own. Rates on application.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 21.—Fair, followed by increasing cloudiness, Saturday; colder, Saturday morning, North-westerly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Middletown, Jan. 21, 1898:
7 a. m., 42°; 12 m., 40°; 3 p. m., 40°.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Jan. 17—Alma Chester and company, at Casino.
—Jan. 21—Excellior Social.
—Jan. 24—John Thomas Concert Co., T. M. C. A., at Casino.
—Jan. 27—Masquerade ball, 3 A. B. B. Club, at Assembly Rooms.
—Jan. 28—Entertainment at St. Paul's M. E. Church.
—Feb. 10—Mary French Field, at the Casino.
—Feb. 10—C. A. Entertainment course.
—Feb. 17—Van Lugen, English Art, Literary Club's lecture course.
—Feb. 25—Keenan, Russia, Literary Club's lecture course.
—March 25—Van Lugen, Greek Art, Literary Club's lecture course.

The anti-woman suffrage women have stolen a march on their sisters who desire the extension of the suffrage to women and are first at Albany with their protest and petition against legislation looking toward giving women the ballot.

Queer things are done, nowadays, in the name of religion. Rev. Dr. Stoddard, of St. John's Episcopal Church, Jersey City, has started a dancing class of sixty young men and women as an adjunct to his Bible class. The new departure has had the effect of wonderfully increasing interest in Bible study among the young people of the parish.

Gov. Black has taken fright at the threat of the Brookfield Republicans in New York city to thoroughly organize the anti-Platt Republicans in all the counties of the State and make nominations for every elective office to be filled next fall. He had a long conference with Mr. Brookfield, Thursday, and talked primary election law reform. He assured Mr. Brookfield that he favored the enactment of a law that would insure to every Republican the right to participate in the primaries of his party and which would guarantee that his vote would be counted as cast. The Governor said he believed that such a law could be passed and tried to convince Mr. Brookfield that the passage of such a law ought to end the plan for independent action. Mr. Brookfield was, however, very non-committal and seemed to be still of the opinion that the only way to rid the Republican party of Platt dictation is to defeat every candidate named by the Platt machine.

A road improvement bill, prepared to meet Gov. Black's views, will be introduced in both branches of the Legislature, to-day. It has at least one merit for it creates no new offices, but places the State Engineer in charge of road construction and makes him the final judge as to whether highways selected for improvement by Boards of Supervisors are of sufficient public importance to receive State aid. The bill provides that Boards of Supervisors may certify to the State Engineer such roads as in their judgment should be improved, and Supervisors are required to make such certification when a majority of the property owners on any road ask for its improvement. If the State Engineer thinks the roads certified to him should be improved he is to prepare plans and specifications and forward them to the Supervisors for their approval. If they approve, the work is to be done under the supervision of the county engineer, if there is one, or if not, the State Engineer providing that no such punishment will be inflicted. The chief evil of the road as an aid to education lies in its use in inflicting summary punishments the number and severity of which depends not so much on the unruliness of the pupil as on the irritability or anger of the teacher. The necessity of asking the parent's consent before inflicting a flogging will give even the peevish and most vindictive teachers a chance to cool off and after that the pupil is safe from assault.

The Western Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Allegheny, Pa., has expelled three students, suspended seven and ensured others for playing poker. The oral principle involved would seem to be the same in each instance and was forced to the conclusion that the authorities tried to "make the point fit the crime" by dealing

with the offending theologues in proportion to their knowledge of the game,—those who would back a pair of deuces getting off easily, while those who knew the value of straights, flushes and full hands were dealt with more sternly, and those who always won were turned out of the seminary's sacred halls.

The State Board of Claims has awarded Tioga county \$4,000 on its claim for \$6,100, the value of its county insane asylum buildings abandoned when they were rendered useless by the establishment of the State care system. If Tioga county can recover for its \$6,000 asylum why cannot Orange county do the same for its \$60,000 building?

Representative Dingley in a speech made, Thursday, on the wage reductions recently made in New England cotton mills took a most pessimistic view of the future of cotton manufacturing in the north. He said that overproduction and competition were ruining the business and admitted that northern factories could not hold their own against the lower wages and longer hours that prevail in factories that have sprung up in the south in recent years. Unless the hours of labor in southern factories are shortened, Mr. Dingley said a constitutional amendment limiting work in cotton factories to eight hours a day would become a necessity. To which Mr. Simpson, a southern member, replied with the taunt that Mr. Dingley's remarks foreshadowed a purpose on the part of New England to ask for protection against the industrial awakening in the south.

JAPAN READY FOR WAR.

Nine War Ships to Sail for Chinese Waters—An English View of Their Mission.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The *St. James Gazette*, commenting upon a dispatch from Yokohama saying that a fleet of nine Japanese warships will leave Japan in the course of a week for Chinese waters, says:

"Japan is prepared for war. That, in a nutshell, is the news from Yokohama to-day, and it is really the first news for the Japanese government had stopped telegraphic communication, which it never does except when mobilizing the army or navy. That is precisely what it has been doing. It is almost certain that the destination of the fleet is Wei-Hai-Wei, and there is no doubt the movement means that the *status quo* in China, so far as Manchuria and Korea are concerned, shall not be altered by Russia or any combination of Russia's allies in defiance of Great Britain and Japan. So long as the defenders' policy is equality of opportunity in China, they are in a position to enforce their claims."

A HEAVY WEIGHT'S FUNERAL.

Difficulties Experienced in Burial Philadelphia's Biggest Man.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 21.—The funeral of Joseph Handley, the biggest man in Philadelphia occurred, to-day. Handley weighed between five hundred and six hundred pounds and was over four feet broad across the shoulders.

The coffin had to be specially constructed and it was necessary to remove the door jambs before it could be taken through. There was no hearse large enough and the casket was taken to the cemetery in an open wagon.

The coffin with the body weighed twelve hundred pounds, and it was rolled up the church aisle on a rubber-tired truck.

It was intended to have interment in the old Catholic cemetery but the entrance to the receiving vault was too narrow.

Handley was forty-eight years of age and served on the police force under Mayor Fox.

MARYLAND'S SENATORIAL CONTEST

The Situation Unchanged and a Long Contest Likely—Compromise Candidates Suggested.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 21.—The fourth day's balloting for United States Senator found the situation practically unchanged with little prospect of an early settlement of the contest.

The feeling is growing that the only way to settle the matter is by withdrawing Shaw and Macomas in favor of a compromise candidate. Friends of ex-Congressman Findlay express confidence, asserting that the mantle will fall upon his shoulders in such an event. General Sherock's adherents are, however, no less confident, declaring none other would prove so acceptable a second choice to a majority of the delegates.

LOVE ENDS IN TRAGEDY.

Woman Pleaded in Vain for Marriage and Then Shot Her Lover and Herself

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

St. Louis, Jan. 21.—Richard Halloran, a police officer was fatally shot with his own pistol, early this morning, by Nellie Manton, who then turned the weapon on herself. Neither can live.

The shooting followed a quarrel, during which the girl begged Halloran to marry her. He refused and she began the shooting. It has been understood in several months that the two were engaged.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—Eric No. 10 was four hours late, to-day, owing to an accident on the Chicago and Erie.

RED ROUGH HANDS

Itching, scaly, bleeding palms, shapeless nails, dry, painful finger ends, pimples, blackheads, oily, moist skin, dry, thin, and falling hair, itching, scaly scalp, all yield quickly to warm baths with CUTICURA, Soap, and gentle anointings with CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure.

Cuticura

It sold throughout the world. For Sale in Great Britain, Sole Proprietors, Messrs. J. & W. G. & Co., Ltd., 1, Abchurch Lane, London, E.C. 4.

ITCHING HUMORS

COTTON OPERATIVES' STRIKE.

A General Strike Thought to Be Impending at Fall River.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Boston, Jan. 21.—Reports, this morning, from various New England points, show that the strike situation is but little changed, with the exception of Fall River, where the feeling that a general strike is impending seems to be growing stronger.

It was announced, to-day, that the weavers of the King Philip mill, from which the spinners went out, Saturday, will make a formal demand for the restoration of the old rate of wages and join the spinners if refused.

The spinners of the Hargraves and Laurel Hill Lake Mills at Fall River seem to be weakening on account of lack of organization.

A BUNCO RAINES LAW INSPECTOR

Farmers of Westbrookville Victims of His Sharp Practice.

From the Monticello Watchman.

A slick individual posing as a Raines law inspector has been operating in Westbrookville and vicinity, where it is said he found several willing victims.

His plan has been to call at a farm house at evening time, and secure lodging if possible. After a little time he suggests that he would like a glass of cider if the farmer has any, and then insists on paying for it. He is suddenly taken with a chill and begs for something hard, or more substantial. He recovers, smiles his bland smile, and says he must go. "I am sorry," says he, "but I must arrest you, I have drunk cider in your house, and under the new law, outrageous as it is, I must as an inspector do my duty." He makes the arrests, and the arrested party can settle if he will for \$15, which he usually does and he then proceeds to find another victim.

WANTED TO BE ARRESTED.

An Honest Mechanic Who Preferred the Jail to Starvation.

A man stopped in front of Martin's shoe store in Newburgh, Thursday, and picked up three felt boots, two of which he put in his coat pockets, while with the other in his hands he started off. He was stopped and said he was "an honest mechanic" but could get no work and showed his hands to prove that he was a worker. He said in explanation of his taking the boots that he must live. He hung about the store for some time waiting to be arrested but no officer appeared.

THE MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK

Comptroller of Currency Approves the Change of Name and Reduction of Capital Stock.

The Comptroller of the Currency has approved the action of the stockholders of the Merchants and Manufacturers' National Bank in changing its name to the Merchants' National Bank, and in reducing its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$100,000.

Will Sail for the South, To-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Corey, Miss Stafer, Miss Gurnea, W. T. Doty, T. A. Weller and Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hoyt will sail for the South, via the Old Dominion line, to-morrow.

This Tells Where Health May Be Found.

And that is more important than making money. If your blood is impure Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine for you. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, rheumatism, catarrh and all other diseases originating in or promoted by impure blood and low state of the system.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, headache,

It Will Soon Be Time to Talk LACE CURTAINS AND CURTAIN MATERIALS,

and we have got to make room for them, consequently our CLOAKS AND CAPES!

must be sold. The prices are \$6 90 and \$8 90. Do you remember our advice about buying Dress Goods and Flannel Underwear?

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 West Main Street. Telephone 166.

25 PER CENT. OFF!

Have you had the benefit of the 25 per cent. reduction sale which has been going on at my store since the New Year opened, and which will continue until Feb. 1st? A great many have, and there is still a chance for you. If you are wise you will be after it. The stock is fresh, high grade and includes everything that a man or boy wears from the HAT down,

Overcoats, Suits, Underwear, Gloves, Neckwear, Shirts—

all are here, with UMBRELLAS and CANES to finish out with. These goods, which are all warranted satisfactory, were marked to sell at low prices before this reduction sale. Now you get 25 cents back from those prices on every dollar's worth you buy. Come in and look for yourselves. You will not be urged to buy.

JOHN E. ADAMS.

N. B.—If you don't find what you want in ready-made goods, the same reduction applies to our suit-to-order department, where Mr. Rogers never fails on a perfect fit.

The Remarkable Show of

WASH GOODS!

Now Displayed by Us Forces

Sales, Even in the

Dull Season.

EXAMINE THE LINES WE OFFER.

2,000 yards Fast Color Prints 3½ cents.

50 pieces Gingham, the best (no off quality), 5 cents.

25 pieces White Checks, 8c quality, 5 cents per yard.

1,000 yards Outing, fine quality, 5 cents per yard.

20 styles Dress Goods \$1 69 per dress, reduced from \$2 39.

H. E. CHURCHILL & CO.,

No. 39 North Street.

You should have that music and lot of ladies' periodicals neatly bound at MCINTYRE'S BINDERY, 32 North Street, Middletown. The price will be reasonable.

YOU MUST

Want something to keep you warm this cold weather, such as

Wool Hose, Muf-

flers, Gloves, Mit-

ens, Blankets, Leg-

gins or

UNDERWEAR!

in fleece lined, either cotton or wool. FASCINATORS in black, white and colors.

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns and Men's Night Shirts!

both of same material.

Don't forget the place.

J. D. HORTON, AGT.,

No. 27 West Main Street.

OUR NAME ON THE PEN!

Try our "High School" and "Carbon Falcon" Pen. The equal of any pen made.

OUR NAME ON THE LABEL

Guarantees Hanford & Horton's Ink to write black and stay black. All sizes from a large 5 center to quarts.

OUR NAME ON THE BOX

or printed on the Tablet insures the quality of the paper contained therein to be the best to be had for the price paid. Years of experience make us the leaders in our line of goods in the county.

Hanford & Horton,

No. 6 North St., Middletown.

WE ARE HAVING A RUSH

IN

Our Custom Department

AND ALSO IN OUR

READY-MADE OVERCOATS

AND ULSTERS.

The Reason for This.

We are Offering a Good

Percentage Off for

CASH.

GEO. W. YOUNG.

RUBBERS.

Save money and buy your Felt Boots, Rubber Boots and Overshoes at

"The Hub" Shoe Store, 13 West Main Street.

Next to Carson & Towner's.

Men's Rubbers 40c.

Boys' Rubbers 35c.

Ladies' Rubbers 20c.

Orders for COAL

LEFT AT

H. S. Dusenberry & Son's No.

4 North St. Will Receive

Prompt Attention

FROM

CRANE & SWAYZE.

No. 11 to 13 Montgomery St.

Telephone 175—No. 4 North street.

103—No. 15 Montgomery street

NOW

GOING ON!

Our special cut price sale as advertised.

We include everything in our store.

A great saving to clothing buyers.

MORRIS B. WOLF,

ONE PRICE, 10 NORTH STREET.

OUR ANNUAL CLEARING SALE OF

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloaks Begins Monday, Jan. 3d

We have about 300 Cloaks to select from in all grades. Below we quote a few numbers—Our regular \$12.95 coat now \$7.95, our regular \$10 coat now \$6.40, our regular \$8.95 coat now \$4.75, our regular \$5.98 coat now \$2.98. Remember these are all facts, no sham figures. We stick to our custom, never advertise unless we have the article. Any one needing a Coat or Cape, should not lose sight of this opportunity at our handsome store.

L. STERN, 13-15 NORTH ST.

Still selling fine plaid, all lined Shirt Waists, regular \$1 kind, for 50 cents.

Call and Get Our Prices ON FURNITURE, Carpets and Crockery FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY.

C. Emmet Crawford,

44 AND 46 NORTH STREET.

CONCERNING QUALITY!

In the present state of advanced Medical Science your Physician prescribes remedies from which he expects definite and accurate results. He obtains this result if the medicine is of proper quality, but not otherwise.

BE WISE!

Your Physician works by science and not by magic.

His prescription demands the best. It is your duty to obtain the best. It is our business to supply you with the best. For this business our well stocked shelves and our well equipped Laboratory amply provides. A liberal business and frequent purchases keep this stock fresh and reliable. Every prescription carefully filled exactly as prescribed!

Quality, Accuracy, Fair Deal ing, Courtesy in all things.

McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St. and 155 North St. (North Side Pharmacy).

DURING JANUARY

we will continue to make it interesting to those in need of

Furniture, Carpets,
Crockery, Lamps, Etc.

and maintain the established fact that we are

The Cheapest Place in
the City.

FRANCE &
BATHAWAY,

25 AND 27 EAST MAIN STREET

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Cows at Pierce & Globe.
—Meats at low prices at Dugdale's Market.
—Manager wanted.
—Man or woman wanted as correspondent.
—Annual report of Middletown Savings Bank.
—Hamburg edgings at G. B. Adams & Co.'s.
—Read W. J. Greenleaf's prices.
—See notice of Lee vs. Inals and others.
—Dyspepsia cured by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.
—Health restored by Dr. Miles' Nervine.
—Calendars given with Fairy Soap.
—Pine's Cure for coughs and colds.
—Constipation cured by Cascaree's.
—For backache, Doan's Pills.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local matter, to-day.

—Alma Chester at the Casino, to-night.

—"Mabel Heath" is the name of the play for the matinee at the Casino, to-morrow afternoon.

—Diphtheria is quite prevalent in Kingston. Two new cases were reported, yesterday.

—There are only eight civil cases on the calendar for the Ulster county court, to be held next week.

—"An American's Victory" will be produced at the Casino, to-night, by the Alma Chester Company.

—The Alma Chester Company is producing one of the best repertoires ever seen in this city, at 10, 20 and 30 cents.

—The Hancock churches are holding union meetings, in which much interest is manifested and which are very largely attended.

—"The Port Jervis Railroad Cripples," a branch of the Co-operative Cripples' Association, announces a benefit hop on Feb. 21st.

—Ellenville's census shows a population of 2,998,—a decrease, which is accounted for by the shutting down of the glass factory.

—Ten and 20 cents are the prices of admission to the matinee at the Casino, to-morrow afternoon. "Mabel Heath" is the name of the play.

—An entertainment will be given at St. Paul's M. E. Church, Friday, Jan. 28th. Admission ten cents refreshments included. All are cordially invited.

—Gold is reported to have been found in the mountain near Butler, N. J., on the Susquehanna and Western. Claims covering 115 acres have already been staked out.

—The census of Matteawan and Fishkill Landing, though not quite complete, indicates a population of about 5,500 in the former and 3,300 in the latter, or nearly 9,000 for the combined villages.

—The census of Deposit village shows a population of 1,957 of whom 1,179 are in the town of Sanford and 778 in Deposit. The *Courier* says that the figures are not correct and that many names have been omitted.

—E. W. Van Duzer, of Van Duzer & Smith, has received an invitation to a Hasenpfeffer Supper at Grand Rapids, Mich., next Wednesday evening, at which Brown & Callahan, wholesale furniture dealers, will be the hosts.

—Dr. Wm. Milne, of the Albany Normal College, says of Miss Helen Mabel Wood: "Miss Wood is a singer of ability and power. She can charm any audience." Miss Wood will be at Nearing Hall next Thursday, Jan. 27, at 8 p. m.

PERSONAL.

—John Connolly, of New York, is visiting in town.

—Mrs. Gilbert Babe went to Port Richmond, Staten Island, to-day, for a week's visit.

—George A. Swalin Jr., and John C. R. Taylor, of Middletown, have been in town, this week.—*Ellenville Press*.

—Rev. Dr. F. L. Wilson went to Deposit, to-day, to preach the sermon at the opening of the Methodist church there.

—J. M. Phillips, the North street marketman, who has been confined to his home for some time by serious illness, is again able to attend to business.

—Edward Danforth, son of Hon. Elliot Danforth, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, is spending the winter at Lakewood Farm, recuperating his health before entering Columbia College in the spring.—*Rockland Review*.

—Wm. Walker, for the past year a resident of Middletown, came to Monticello Tuesday en route for Bethel, where he will recuperate his health. For the past four weeks he has been a patient in the Middletown Hospital, where he had a tumor removed from his side. His trouble was occasioned by a fall several months ago.—*Watchman*.

—Way Build a Masonic Temple.

It is reported, this afternoon, that the committee of Hoffman Lodge to whom was referred the matter of buying a lot on which to build a Masonic Temple has secured an option on one that is admirably located for the purpose.

—Rector Howell's Appeal Over the Term.

The appeal of Rector Howell, of Monticello, from the conviction of assaulting his wife obtained in Justice McMillen's court, will not be held at Monticello, next week.

—Excelsior's Social at the Assembly Rooms, To-night.

Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company will hold its regularly dated social, to-night, at the Assembly Rooms.

—Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy.

Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGE.

The Firm of Charles Wolff's Sons Dissolved—Louis Wolff to Continue at the Old Stand—Charles Wolff, Jr., Will Open a New Store on North Street.

It is announced that Louis and Charles Wolff, Jr., comprising the firm of Charles Wolff's Sons, who, several years ago, succeeded their father in the clothing business, which he established and most successfully conducted on James street for many years, have dissolved partnership.

Charles Wolff, Jr., has sold his interest in the store to his brother, Louis, who will continue business at the old stand and will spare no efforts to maintain the reputation which the store has always had for reliability, fair dealing, good goods and low prices.

Charles Wolff has rented the two stores, 24 and 26 North street, corner of King, now occupied by Charles L. Swezy, jeweler, and Charles H. Emde, tailor. The two stores will be thrown into one by the removal of the partition and will be entirely remodeled and refitted in handsome and up-to-date style. A new ash front will be put in and with new fixtures and furnishings of the handsomest kind Mr. Wolff will have as fine and completely appointed store as there is in town.

He will open in time for the spring trade with a new, complete and well selected stock of clothing, furnishings, hats, etc., and by strict adherence to the sound business principles that won success for his father and the firm from which he has just withdrawn, hopes to merit and enjoy a share of public patronage.

ANNOYED YOUNG GIRLS.

A Prominent Young Man of Rondout Arrested on a Serious Charge.

For four or five days a man has been lurking in the neighborhood of Chester, Brewster and Andrew streets, Kingston, who has chased school girls, made improper proposals to them and conducted himself indecently in other ways.

Officers were detailed, Thursday, to look out for the fellow and they arrested the man pointed out as the offender, who proved to be Irving Von Beek, a young married man of Rondout, of good family and well to do and who has always borne a good reputation. He was identified by several persons as the man wanted.

He pleaded not guilty and the hearing was adjourned until Saturday. If it is not a case of mistaken identity it is thought that Von Beek must be insane for the acts charged against him are revolting in the extreme.

OBITUARY.

Jonas E. Divers

Jonas E. Divers, who for several years was engaged in the music business in this city, died in Brooklyn, Jan. 10, aged fifty-eight years. He was a native of Newton, N. J., and most of his life was spent there.

Albert E. Price.

Albert E. Price died at his home in Port Jervis, Thursday morning, of pneumonia, in his twenty-seventh year. He is survived by his mother, a sister, and a brother, William G. Price, of Minersink. Mrs. Emily Van Kuren, of this city, and Mrs. James Hunt, of Turneers, are aunts.

Mr. Price was known far and wide as the heaviest man in Port Jervis. At one time he weighed 385 pounds but last summer he reduced his weight by bicycle riding to 290 pounds.

SURPRISED LEADER OPTIZ.

Mannerchor Members and the D. F. B. Club Celebrated His Birthday.

R. Optiz, of Paterson, was in this city, Thursday night, to attend the regular rehearsal of the Mannerchor, of which he is the leader. He was agreeably surprised to find that the Mannerchor and the D. F. B. Club of ladies had congregated to celebrate his birthday. Refreshments were served, and a dance lasted until past midnight.

Wedding Invitations Received.

Friends in this city of Miss Harriet Evans Hines have received invitations to her marriage and wedding reception, which will take place, Feb. 2, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Webb Hines, at Cohoes, N. Y. The bridegroom to be is John Edward Hines, of Lansingburgh, N. Y. Miss Hines was a classmate in Abbott Academy, Andover, of several Middletown young ladies and has been a frequent visitor here.

A New Newburgh Corporation.

The Crawshaw carpet factory in Newburgh has been made a stock concern, with a capital of \$75,000. Mark and Samuel Crawshaw retain most of the stock. Among the stockholders and directors are B. B. Odell, Jr., C. L. Waring, E. C. Barnes and C. T. Goodrich.

"A Case of Sharp Practice."

The explanation given by the *Herald* of the turning down of G. B. Tins, after his appointment as postmaster at that place, is that his "appointment was compassed by a little sharp practice on the part of a certain high official."

Read in to-morrow's Sunday Forum the story of a wealthy man's infatuation for two female members of the French Gaiety Girls Company, and how they pulled his leg to the extent of \$500.

SPINAL weakness easily cured by Dr. Miles' Nerve Tonic.

FUNERAL OF SAMUEL A. SEASE.

Masonic Organization Well Represented—Masonic Services at the Grave.

The funeral of the late S. A. Sease occurred this afternoon, at the Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. Beattie officiating. Short services were also conducted at the late home on Wickham avenue.

Hoffman Lodge, F. and A. M., Ira L. Case, Master, and Delaware Commandery, K. T., C. R. Smith, Past Eminent Commander, were represented by delegations.

The services at the grave were conducted by Eminent Commander W. K. Stewart, assisted by Past Eminent Commander C. R. Smith of the Knights Templar.

The pall bearers were Archibald Taylor, F. O. Tompkins, T. A. Weller, August Pfaff, W. E. Robertson and L. D. Fouquet.

The Commandery representatives from Port Jervis included W. K. Stewart, Eminent Commander; Charles Davis, Generalissimo; J. J. Mills, Recorder; J. P. Adams, Sentinel, and C. M. Wilcox.

DECKERTOWN POST OFFICE ROBBED.

Safe Blown Open and \$1,200 Worth of Stamps Taken—Thieves Left Town on a Hand Car.

Burglars effected an entrance into the post office at Deckertown, Thursday night, by prying open the rear door. They blew open the safe and removed about \$1,200 worth of stamps and other supplies, no money being taken for the reason that the postmaster was not in the habit of leaving any money there.

They escaped on a hand car, which was stolen from the house used by the section hands, and which has not yet been found, hence the direction taken is not known.

The use of a hand car in getting out of town makes it probable that the burglars were the same as those who broke into the Warwick office, two weeks ago, and who departed on a hand car.

COULDN'T KEEP HER DATE.

A Well Known Citizen Don't Under-stand a Brooklyn Girl's Letter.

A staid and well known citizen who doesn't flirt or flirt, has received a letter which confuses him. It is from a young woman in Brooklyn, and states that she is sorry that she is unable to keep an appointment with him and a young woman and another young man in New York. She explains that she had a date with her family, and was in consequence unable to meet the party including "Mr. —."

The latter would like to know who has been taking his name in vain and making the receipt of such a letter possible.

WELL WORTH HEARING.

John Thomas, a Born Humorist, at the Casino, Monday Evening.

John Thomas is a born humorist, his face being his torture. He kept the audience convulsed with laughter.—*Atlanta Constitution*.

Miss Annie Webster showed a mastery over the violin that is rarely achieved, playing with splendid expression, accuracy and technique and considerable originality of expression.—*Elmhurst Echo*.

Walter A. Pich is a pianist and accompanist of unusual merit.

All the brilliant talent can be heard for 35 cents at the Casino, next Monday.

Special Meeting of Capt. Jackson Relief Corps.

A special meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps of Capt. Jackson Post will be held at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon at the rooms of the Corps. A full attendance is desired for business of importance will be transacted.

May Build the Sidney-Franklin Electric Road.

The State Railroad Commissioners, Thursday, granted the Delaware Terminal Railroad Company permission to build an electric road from Sidney to Franklin, Delaware county.

Hymeneal Notes.

Cards have been received in this city announcing the marriage of Miss Mary Boyd, formerly of this city, and Stephen C. Roach, Jr., of Newburgh, December 27. This is the first intimation relatives here had of her marriage.

Gaiety Girls Continue in Hard Luck.

Three more of the Stranded French Gaiety Girls arrived in this city from Ellenville, to-day. One of the troupe went to the Cottage Theatre at Mechanicstown, Thursday afternoon, and secured an engagement for a short time.

Mayor Hance Was Out, To-day.

Mayor Hance came down to his office, to-day, for an hour, and then returned to his home. He is wrestling with a most persistent cold, but hopes to get the better of it in a few days.

Don't Neglect a Head Cold.

Catarrh will result if you do. If you have Headache, Foul Breath, Pain in Forehead, Drooping in the Throat, Dryness in the nose, it indicates this troublesome disease. Dr. Agnew's Catarrh Powder will relieve a cold in 10 minutes and will cure Chronic Catarrh. No failure sure, safe, pleasant and harmless.

Pure blood is absolutely necessary for perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true blood purifier, and great health giver.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN TOWN.

Archdeaconry of Orange—Removing to New Quarter—Ladies' Guild Entertainment a Success—Missionary Society Meets—Recent Examinations—Two Cases of Unhealed Fingers—Engagement Announced—Weddings in Prospect—Tale Way With the Change and Will Spend Thirty Days in Jail.

From Our Regular Correspondent.—The Archdeaconry of Orange will hold a session at St. James' Church, next Wednesday afternoon, when Bishop Potter will preside.

—P. J. Lee, who was recently burned out, is removing his stock to the store in the Van Nort block, on West Main street, made vacant by the removal of A. P. Ackerman. Mr. Lee will re-open for business at his new stand in a short time.

—Unfavorable as was the weather, its effect was scarcely apparent on the number of people who attended the St. James' Guild parlor entertainment at the home of Percy Wisner, last night. The musical programme, which has heretofore been published, was rendered by home talent. An "art exhibition" of copies of famous paintings was given, refreshments were served and home-made candy was disposed of by the young ladies interested in the entertainment. The admission was twenty-five cents, and the proceeds were ample and satisfactory.

—Sixteen members of the Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society met and passed a pleasant and profitable afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. J. Kasey, Wednesday afternoon. Several interesting, entertaining and instructive manuscript contributions were read relating to mission work in various foreign countries.

—Beginning Monday next and continuing daily until Friday afternoon, Regents' examinations will be held in the Goshen Union School.

—Jay H. N. Wbury has leased the house on Murray avenue now occupied by Whitfield Gibbs and will take possession, April 1st.

—Fred Banker is seriously ill at his home near La Grange.

—Bert Talmage, an employee of the Newbury foundry, smashed a finger in the machinery while at work, Tuesday.

—"Skippy" Verdon, employed at the Poehuck Granite Co.'s stone dressing works in this village, had a finger crushed by accidentally getting it beneath a heavy stone, on Tuesday.

—The engagement has been announced of William Ford and Miss Jennie Freeman, both of this village. Mr. Ford is a well known trainer of trotting horses and Miss Freeman is prominent and popular in the social and church life of St. John's Church.

—Before the coming of the spring time, rumor has it there will be several other barks launched on the matrimonial sea.

—For some time past, Fred Chambers has been boarding with Mrs. Charles May. His exchequer being depleted, he negotiated with Mrs. May for the loan of a dollar. Mrs. May gave him a five-dollar bill and sent him down town to change it in company with her little daughter who was to bring back the change. Chambers stepped into a place to get the bill changed and failed to return to where the child was waiting. A warrant was sworn out for his arrest, last night, and Officer Van Leovan went to Middletown in hope of arresting the erring Chambers. He was captured and arraigned before Judge Sease, this morning, in police court. The judge sentenced him to pay a fine of \$20 or spend twenty days in jail. He did not pay the fine.

THE TELEPHONE COMPANY.

Directors Elect at the Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Orange County Telephone Company was held, Thursday afternoon. Directors were elected as follows:

Dr. T. D. Mills, J. E. Isaman, R. C. Tutill, J. J. Silk, Leander Brink, L. V. Susabough, J. L. Wiggins, A. B. Wilbur, T. A. Weller, Frank Harding, L. S. Stivers, W. A. Marshall and Chas. W. Martin.

The annual election of officers will occur February 14. The stockholders discussed the extension of the lines, which will be done in the near future.

The list of subscribers in this city now numbers 314, and a new section of switchboard to accommodate 400 subscribers will be secured.

Judge Brown to Build a Summer Home at Cragsmoor.

Judge Addison Brown, of the U. S. District Court, has bought a lot at Cragsmoor, near Sam's Point, and has had plans prepared for a large summer home, the erection of which will be begun as soon as the weather permits.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists.

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Has Lost Many Valuable Hens.

Samuel L. Stewart, of Newburgh, whose fine exhibit of dogs at the county fair is remembered with pleasure by many, mourns the death of "Brookside Wellington," the best American collie brought out this year, and which he valued at \$1,000. Within the last month Mr. Stewart has lost ten valuable collies, all by distemper.



GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

Special Sale of Hamburg Edgings

at Prices Ranging From

3 1/2c to 25c a yard at "The Big Store."

\$1, two clasp Pique Kid Gloves at 79c a pair.

39c Domet Flannel Skirt Lengths at 29c each.

Short lengths of Silks and Dress Goods on remnant counters, all marked at low prices.

Blankets and Comfortables at the lowest prices. Do not make any error by buying Blankets or Comfortables before looking through our stock.

Big sales of Carpets now at the big store. Our prices seem to be lower. The state of the carpet market was such that we bought largely.

We are showing a big stock of Carpets.

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

To Let—Offices in the Adams Building.

GEO. B. ADAMS & Co.

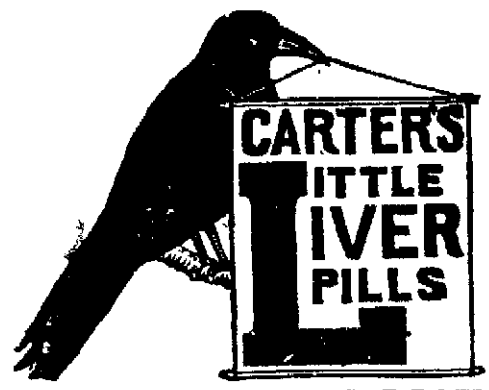
POLISHETTE,

the new metal polish and cleaner for brass and copper.

ROYAL PLATE POLISH

for gold, silver and cut glass. Recommended as the best and most economical. Each 15c.

OLNEY'S PHARMACY, FRANKLIN, N. Y.



CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

SICK HEADACHE
Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

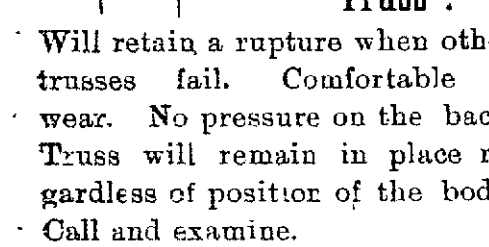
Bring Your JOB PRINTING!

Argus and Mercury Office.

We can print your Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Statements, Envelopes, Business Cards, Visiting Cards, Posters, in fact anything you may need, at the very lowest prices. Good work and good material.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

Fine Wedding and other Invitations, and Ball Programmes a specialty. Complete stock of all the latest designs.



J. Erskine Mills,

Druggist, North St.

Department of Public Instruction.

DATES OF EXAMINATIONS FOR 1898.

Examinations under the uniform system for 1898, will be held on the dates named below and continue for two days except those for training class (cert. cases), which will continue for three days.

FIRST GRADE.
March 11th and 12th, at Goschen.
August 11th and 12th, at Middletown.

TRAINING CLASSES.
January 19th, 20th and 21st, at Port Jervis.
June 15th, 16th and 17th, at Port Jervis.

SECOND AND THIRD GRADES.
January 19th and 20th, at Port Jervis.
March 11th and 12th, at Goschen.
May 25th and 26th, at Middletown.
August 11th and 12th, at Middletown.
September 23rd and 24th, at Port Jervis.

KINDERGARTEN.
January 19th and 20th, at Port Jervis.
June 15th and 16th, at Port Jervis.

DRAWING.
March 11th and 12th, at Goschen.
August 11th and 12th, at Middletown.

NORMAL ENTRANCE.
Second Thursday, of January, 12th, at Port Jervis.
Fourth Friday of May, 27th, at Otseville.
Second Thursday of August, 11th, at Middletown.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.
Examinations will be held from 9:15 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. and from 1:30 p. m. to 5 p. m.
No bags, books nor pamphlets will be allowed in the room where the examination is held, and all paper to be used by candidates will be furnished by the Commissioner. Any one detected in copying, using notes, or in any way trying to obtain a certificate dishonestly, will be prohibited from attending future examinations.
Candidates residing in the Second Commissioner District of Orange county wishing to take the uniform examination in another county, must first obtain the written consent of the Commissioner of this district.
Extracts from State Regulations—Experience—Candidates must have taught successfully for a period of not less than ten weeks, and are not eligible to enter an examination without having had such experience, except for third grade.
A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION for State School Teachers in Cornell University will be held at the Public School, Goschen, upon Saturday, June 4th, 1898, commencing at 9 o'clock.
WILLIAM P. KAUFMAN, School Commissioner, 2d District, Orange county.



An Intercepted Message.

An Incident Tending to Show That Appearances Do Sometimes Deceive.

SITTING in a New York hotel one November evening, carelessly running over the headlines of a newspaper, I had my eyes and wandering thoughts arrested by an article that stirred some pleasant memories. Stepping to the table near at hand I was clipping the bit of news when a handsome, athletic young fellow approached from the opposite side, knife and paper in hand. A moment later each noticed that the other was preserving the same information. Our eyes met, his brown and laughing, mine blue and aggressive.

"Beg pardon," he began with a smile that lighted up his dark face and showed his strong white teeth to advantage, "old evidence, isn't it?" "I don't know," with some constraint. "Up to a short time ago my experience was so entirely along one pleasant line that my thoughts never went outside of it. Of late surprises have come so rapidly that they cease to surprise. Do you know her?"

"I'm inclined to think it my privilege to do the interesting in this instance, but you have already satisfied my chief curiosity in the matter. If you were not acquainted with Margie Morell you would scarcely be putting that flattering criticism away in your pocketbook."

"You speak familiarly of her," and, despite my efforts to imitate his easy manner, there was a challenge in my tone.

"Naturally enough," and his smile was the more aggravating because the more genial. "I have known her for years. Used to carry her books, haul her on her little sled, skate with her. She with her, advise with her, encourage her when success in music seemed so far off, and all that. Held her on my knee a thousand times. Why, she spoiled the creases in this very pair of trousers I'm wearing."

Now there was an effort at self-control on my part. "You are a scoundrel and a blackguard," I whispered as I leaned over the table. "If I ever hear of your repeating such language I'll find a way to punish you without invoking the name of the young lady you have been coward enough to slander."

No change in his smile, but a little more blood in his face as he answered: "Southerner, I should judge?"

"Yes, southerner, and one that tries to retain the virtues of chivalry without its faults. I want nothing more to say to you."

"But I like you. I insist on pursuing the acquaintance. It makes me happy to chance upon so stout a champion of Margie."

"Mention that name again and I'll—" "Hold hard, my bold southerner," and this time he laughed outright. "I'm Fred Morell, Margie's brother. In fact, I'm the responsible head of the family. Have you any special right to fight the battles of my sister?"

"Only the right of a gentleman who holds her in the highest respect. I met her abroad with her mother. I was completing my education in medicine and Miss Morell was cultivating her wonderful voice. In the midst of an acquaintance so delightful to me I received news of my father's sudden death, and with it the startling information that disastrous speculation had wiped out the large fortune that I had always been led to expect. I hastened home to Kentucky, spent six months in settling up the affairs of the estate, and have just come north to see what I can make of talents that have never yet been called upon to earn anything."

"It might have been worse. You are Dr. Tom Curran. I've heard them speak of you frequently. Why not take a run out with me and renew the acquaintance?"

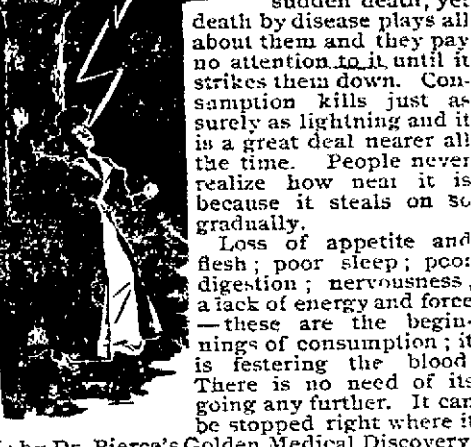
It was a temptation, and we are prone to compromise with temptation. I could not go then because I was to spend a couple of weeks with my own relative, Uncle Druff Curran, who lived 20 miles out of St. Louis. But when Fred and I parted it had been arranged that I should take dinner with the Morell household.

At Uncle Druff's I was having a glorious time, though he was a bachelor of 60 and cynical as he was rich. My strange experience there began one afternoon when I was out shooting over a pair of Irish setters as ever stood a covey of birds. The sport was fast and furious and I was banging away without any precautions, for the game was in a desolate preserve and the thought of danger to anyone else never entered my mind. But my confidence in the fact of my complete isolation was brought up with a short run. I had just let go with both barrels at a flying bunch of quail when I heard a shout of terror and witnessed a laughable sight. It was a man literally dropping down a telegraph pole, his eyes big with fright and a false beard shifted to the side of his face. The fine shot had peppered him harmlessly, but he thought that he had been fired upon and was beginning to plead for mercy when I approached him.

When I went in from my holiday hunt I found a new guest at the house. He was president of the then leading bank in St. Louis, in which uncle was a director and large stockholder. After dinner we smoked together and the two old men told me what had brought the president there.

But a short time before two elegant and distinguished-looking gentlemen had flashed upon the most exclusive social circle of the city. They dressed just within the extreme of fashion, spent money with princely prodigality, and one of them had placed \$20,000 in the president's bank, just to meet the expenses of the brief visit. He had been introduced at the president's home and made such an innard upon the daughter's affections that their engagement

Miraculous RECEIVED FROM Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure.



People are terrified if a lightning bolt strikes near them, and from to be delivered from death. I was just as about them and they pay no attention to it until it strikes them down. Consumption kills just as surely as lightning and it is a great deal nearer all the time. People never realize how near it is because it steals on so gradually.

Loss of appetite and flesh; poor sleep; poor digestion; nervousness; a lack of energy and force in these are the beginnings of consumption; it is festering the blood. There is no need of its going any further. It can be stopped right now. I can supply the blood with the wonderful blood-purifying and nutritive properties of the "Discovery" prevent and cure consumption by renovating and vitalizing the circulation. It arrests wasting processes and rapidly builds up healthy tissue and solid flesh. It promotes perfect digestion; active strength and nerve force.

Mrs. Rebecca F. Gardner, of Grafton, York Co., Va., writes: "When I was married I weighed one hundred and twenty pounds. I was taken sick and reduced in health. My doctor failed to do me any good and I fell away to 60 pounds. I had dyspepsia so bad that I could not eat anything. I thought I was not long for this world. Finally I gave up and my husband nearly went crazy. One day in one of my little fits I began to read Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure. I began using it and thank God and you I began to improve. When I began taking the 'Discovery' my weight was 60 pounds and now I weigh 140 pounds and have only taken two bottles. I can now say as much about the medicine. My husband says I look younger than I did the first time he ever saw me. I am a well woman and do all my house work. And to my fowl and cow and do some work in the garden. It is a miracle that I am cured."

Dr. Pierce's 1200-page book, "The Common Sense Medical Adviser," is sent free paper-bound for 2 cents in one-cent stamps to pay cost of mailing only; or cloth-bound for 3 cents. Address: World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 653 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Argus

ALBANY, N. Y.

PUBLISHED EVERY MORNING

SUNDAY ARGUS.

SEMI-WEEKLY, (Wednesday and Saturday)

DAILY. 50c a month; \$5.00 a year
SUNDAY. 5c a copy; 1.50 a year
DAILY AND SUNDAY. 15c a week; 7.50 a year
SEMI-WEEKLY. 1.00 a year

THE SEMI-WEEKLY ARGUS

Is an eight-page newspaper issued twice a week, 832 pages of reading matter a year, and is considered by Discriminating Readers to be the Best News, Political and Family Semi-Weekly in the United States.

It has "careful business of the News, Local and General, Able and Interesting Editorials; Valuable Miscellany; Entertaining Special Articles; Literary Reviews; Well Conducted Departments; Religious Intelligence; The Most-Needed News and Notes for Farmers and Busy Men and Women, and Short Stories and Miscellaneous Articles of a High Order."

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

SPECIMEN COPIES OF THE DAILY, SUNDAY OR THE SEMI-WEEKLY ARGUS WILL BE SENT FREE TO ALL WHO ASK FOR THEM.

Hand your subscription to the Local Agent or Postmaster, or send it direct by registered letter, postal or express order, or check, to

THE ARGUS COMPANY

ALBANY, N. Y.

William's Kidney Pills

Has no equal in diseases of the Kidneys and Urinary Organs. Have you overworked your Kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your Kidneys and Bladder? Have you pains in the loins, side, back, groin, and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire pass urine? William's Kidney Pills will impart new life to the diseased organs, tone up the system and make a new man of you. By mail send 25c for a box.

WILLIAM WIGG, CO., Props., Cleveland O.

SOLD IN MIDDLETOWN BY W. D. OLNEY

PIANOS

We are now closing out at a sacrifice several sets of new pianos, and a great variety of slightly used organs and pianos to make room for new stock.

ORGANS

Catalogues, full particulars and terms sent upon application.

SOLD ON INSTALLMENTS, IF DESIRED.

Mason & Hamlin Co.

2 and 5 WEST 18th STREET, NEW YORK.

GRAIN, FLOUR, FEED.

Baled Hay and Straw at Lowest Market Rates.

C. J. EVERSON,

NOS. 4 AND KING STREET.

Miraculous RECEIVED FROM Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure.



ELLI P. BABCOCK, of Avoca, N. Y., a veteran of the 3rd N. Y. Artillery and for thirty years of the Babcock & Munsel Carriage Co., of Auburn, says: "I write to express my gratitude for the miraculous benefit received from Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. I suffered for years, as a result of my life, from a disease which affected my heart in the worst form; my limbs swelled from the aneurism. I was unable to do any work, and my clothing had sharp pains about the heart, smothering spells and shortness of breath. For three months I was unable to do any work, and all the sleep I got was in an arm chair. I was treated by the best doctors but gradually grew worse. About a year ago I commenced taking Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and it saved my life as if by a miracle."

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, a first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address: DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Health is Wealth.



DR. E. G. WEST'S NERVE AND BRAIN TREATMENT

THE ORIGINAL, AND OTHER IMITATIONS, is sold under positive written guarantee by authorized agents only to cure Weak Memory, Dizziness, Vertigo, Headache, Neuralgia, Nervousness, Lassitude, all Drains, Youthful Errors or Excesses, Loss of Power, Impotence, Sterility or Barrenness, etc., etc. Write for full particulars, with full instructions, 25 cents. One sample only sold to each person. At store or by mail.

Red Label Special Extra Strength. For Lungs, Loss of Power, Loss of Memory, Sterility or Barrenness, etc., etc. Write for full particulars, with full instructions, 25 cents. One sample only sold to each person. At store or by mail.

FOR SALE BY J. E. MILLS AND W. D. OLNEY

HUMPHREYS' VETERINARY SPECIFICS

500 PAGE BOOK MAILED FREE.

CONTENTS:
Part I.—Diseases of Horses.
Part II.—Diseases of Cattle.
Part III.—Diseases of Sheep.
Part IV.—Diseases of Hogs.
Part V.—Diseases of Dogs.
Part VI.—Diseases of Poultry.

Same book in better binding 80c. HUMPHREYS' SPECIFICS, 10c, Cor. William & John Sts., New York.

NERVOUS DEBILITY, VITAL WEAKNESS

and Prostration from Overwork or other causes.

Humphreys' Homeopathic Specific No. 28, a cure over 40 years, the only successful remedy.

\$1 per bottle, or 5 bottles and large vial powder, for \$5. Sold by Druggists, or sent postpaid on receipt of price. HUMPHREYS' SPECIFICS, 10c, Cor. William & John Sts., New York.

For Sale!

40 ORANGE CO. FARMS.

All sizes and prices, and in various sections of the county. Some very decided bargains. Free descriptive catalogues on application at office or by mail. Owners anxious to sell always employ a broker, hence you are more likely to secure a bargain at my agency; anyway you have a large list to select from, and should you want a House and lot, or property in the beautiful and thrifty city of Middletown, at a genuine bargain, apply at my office. Correspondence solicited.

A. V. BOAK,

Real Estate Broker, 35 North St.

SANTAL MIDY

These tiny Capsules are superior to Balsam of Copoba, Cubeb or Injections and CURE IN 48 HOURS (MIDY)

the same diseases without inconvenience.

Sold by all Druggists.

Restored Manhood.

DR. MOTT'S NERVEINE PILLS.

The great remedy for nervous prostration and all nervous diseases of the generative organs of either sex, such as Nervous Prostration, Falling or Lost Manhood, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Yellows, Gonorrhea, etc., etc. With every 50c bottle we give a written guarantee to cure or refund the money. BOTTLES \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

was currently reported. This depositor had unexceptional letters and each one guaranteed him entitled to unlimited credit.

One afternoon he rushed hurriedly into the bank. He just had a letter from one of his best and wealthiest friends in Boston. He was to have met a Denver lawyer in St. Louis that very day to pay a balance of \$750,000 on a contract for mining lands in Colorado. Business involving an enormous sum kept this Boston man at home, and, despite his wealth, he did not have the ready money to meet the engagement. Would his old friend, known in St. Louis as Lawrence Bochart, draw on his own funds and look after the matter? There was an assured profit of a million, and they would share it.

"Is it all right?" asked the president, who was dazzled with Bochart and his apparently fabulous riches.

"I would like to help my friend, for it is my disposition. But let me insist that you first telegraph my bank in New York to see whether it will honor a draft for the amount required. For your kindness in the matter I want you to accept half the gain which my friend would make through the deal."

"I cannot think of it," replied the president.

"Then, sir, let me make it a wedding present to your daughter. I have not asked her hand, but with your permission, I will do so."

"I sent the telegram at once," said the president to my uncle and myself. "Inside of half an hour I had an answer, signed by both the president and cashier, informing me that Mr. Bochart's account was far more than equal to the demand made upon it. I may have been blinded somewhat by the impression the young man had made upon me and the prospect of having him for a son-in-law, but I took the usual precautions, though the largeness of the amount at stake might have demanded more."

"We went to the hotel and paid the Denver lawyer in currency, as exacted by the terms of the contract. He said that he would have preferred a certified check, but he would be around before the close of banking hours to deposit the sum with us. I had no sooner returned to the bank than I received a telegram from the New York bank saying that Lawrence Bochart had no account there and never had. Then it came upon me with the force of a terrible blow that the wire must have been tapped, that we were swindled and that the bank was crippled beyond hope of recovery. For myself, I was ruined."

"Of course," continued the president, "the rascal who cut such a wide swath in society, did not distribute his photographs, but my daughter is something of an artist and she sketched the fellow from memory. Here he is, and we'd gladly give \$100,000 to recover the amount of the robbery."

The two older gentlemen took a look at the picture and then passed it to me. An exclamation of surprise had almost passed my lips, but I was a fortune-seeker myself and here was an unexpected opening. The picture was that of Fred Morell. Why should I not win the reward offered for the recovery of this stolen money? I had seen the wire-tapper and I knew the man who had so successfully played his part in the aristocratic set of St. Louis.

Two days later I was on my way to join in the Christmas festivities to which young Morell had invited me. I had no idea that he would be there to receive me, but then he was not the chief attraction. I had said nothing to the two old gentlemen of what I knew or what I had in mind, but I had decided to play the avel part of a detective and lay the foundation for some such fortune as I had always expected to inherit.

Fred Morell met me at the door of his home and a welcome could not have been more hearty. His mother was one of the most gracious of the old-school ladies, and her daughter was even more fascinating in her wondrous beauty than when she had won my love beyond the ocean. I could not enjoy such hospitality and then being a sorrow-woman than death upon those who offered it. I asked a private talk with Fred, and frankly told him what I had learned and how I had started out to recover the stolen money. There was mingled anger and contempt in his face as he answered me.

"You have taken me for a scoundrel again," he said, "but I must admit the force of the evidence. Cousin Bob has broken loose once more. Seen apart we have always been taken one for the other. He is a wonderful man and his talents, properly directed, would win him almost any position. But his inclination is to go wrong and he does not restrain it. Your mission is to bring him to book. If you like, I will go this far with you. He is rich through inheritance and fraud. Together we will run him down and secure a return of the money lost by the bank. We will make him leave the country for good, but without such an arrangement I will lend you no assistance. He is the first to bring disgrace on the family name and I care more for it than for his punishment."

In New York we found the man whom I had surprised in hunting. Through fear he was induced to discover the whereabouts of "Cousin Bob." With the suavity of a diplomat and a running fire of wit, he accepted our terms. He assured us with unblushing gallantry that the president's daughter had pierced his heart, that he had voluntarily decided upon a residence abroad and that it afforded him inexpressible pleasure to comply with our wishes.

I put the bank on its feet again, made the old president the happiest man in the country, tickled Uncle Druff so that he named me as his sole heir, and made Margie Morell my wife. I'll say nothing of myself, but Mrs. Dr. Tom Curran's receptions are the most popular and most sought after in one of the greatest cities of the country.

PYNY-PECTORAL

A QUICK CURE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS. VERY VALUABLE remedy in all affections of the THROAT OR LUNGS. Large Bottles, 25c. DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Lim. PROPRIETORS OF PLYN'S PAIN-KILLER. FOR SALE BY F. M. PRONK.

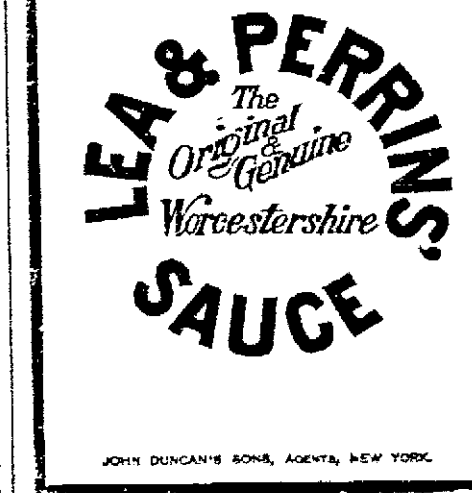
Foreclosure Sale.

THERE WILL BE SOLD ON JAN. 20, '98, AT THE Holding House, at 2 O'clock. THE PROPERTY AT THE CORNER OF EAST MAIN STREET AND EAST AVENUE, KNOWN AS HARFORD'S CORNER, 50 feet on East Main street, 50 feet on East Avenue, and deeper in the rear. This is a desirable corner for improvement, sewered, paved and drained. This property runs for 10 per cent. on \$5,000 valuation, even in the present condition, and a few years ago rented for 10 per cent. on \$7,500 valuation. 4500JAN29

GET YOUR KINDLING WOOD

The Steam Carpet Cleaning and Feather Renovating Works, CORNER FULTON ST. AND SPRAGUE AVE. E. H. GREGORY. Telephone Call No. 129.

Beware of Imitations



Reduction in Prices

Gas and Electric Light

The following prices take effect on business commencing

February 1st. 1898:

GAS RATES.

Under 500 feet, per month. \$2.25 per 1000 feet, per month. 2.00 per 1000 feet, per month. 1.80 per 1000 feet, per month. 1.50 per 1000 feet, per month. 1.30 per 1000 feet, per month. 1.10 per 1000 feet, per month. Five per cent. discount from above prices if bills are paid on or before the 15th. Meter rent charged on all bills of less than \$1 per month, net.

ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES.

65 hundredths of cent per ampere hour. 12 cents per 100 watts. Minimum bill 50 cents per month. Small customers using the equivalent of 8 1/2 candle power lamps or under, by contract, according to service. Bills rendered the first of each month, payable on or before the 15th, after which date a 5 per cent. additional will be charged. All lamp rentals at 15 cents each.

Middletown Gas and Electric Light Co.

4 West 2nd St.

Fine Celery, Cranberries, Lettuce, Spinach, Cucumbers, Wax Beans, Cauliflower,

Preserve, Beans, Turnips, Red and White Onions, Hubbard and Marrow Squash, Oyster Plant, Red Cabbage, Malaga, Tokay and Catawba Grapes, Fancy Oranges and Lemons, Nuts of all kinds, Figs, Dates, Layer Raisins, Plum Pudding, Nutmegs, Pineapple, Edam and Cream Cheese, Sweet Butter.

DEWEY & MUNDY,

Telephone 39. 40 North St.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS

The only safe, sure and reliable Female Pill ever offered to Ladies. Especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. SEND FOR CIRCULAR. PRICE \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.



FAIRY SOAP

PURE—WHITE—FLOATING.

Nothing enters into the manufacture of Fairy Soap but the purest and best materials known to the soapmaker's art and that money can buy.

The Soap of the Century

Sold everywhere in one quality and three convenient sizes, for the toilet, bath and laundry.

Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago. St. Louis. New York.

I have used

Piso's Cure

for Consumption, and can recommend it above all others for Coughs and Colds. It is selling like hot cakes.



GUSTAV FALK, Druggist,
Winton Place, Ohio.
August 31, 1897.

SAVE YOUR COAL!

Use the Only Practical
Ash Sifter.

ABSOLUTELY DUSTLESS.

We have Reduced the Price on
These Sifters.

GEO. A. SWALM & SON, 18 NORTH STREET.

COAL, COAL, COAL!

Wilson & Wood

SUCCESSORS TO BODINE & CO., DEALERS IN

Lehigh and All kinds of Free Burning Coal
Cumberland Coal for Smelting purposes, Charcoal, etc.

Office and Yard, No. 15 Depot St.

Telephone Call No 35

L. G. WILSON. J. D. WOOD

BARGAINS IN SHOES!

I have placed on my counters some shoes at \$1 a pair to close out the lines. They are all fine goods, some of them are hand turned shoes that formerly sold for four dollars and fifty cents a pair. We haven't all the sizes—they are mostly 2½, 3 and 3½ in size. Any lady wearing these sizes in A or B width can get a good bargain at the one price shoe store of

J. G. HARDING, 25 West Main Street

CANDY
CATHARTIC

Cascarets

CURE CONSTIPATION

REGULATE THE LIVER

10c
25c 50c

ALL
DRUGGISTS

A January Thaw of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry

and Silverware at 17 North street, Middletown. The prices have melted since X mas, and will continue to melt until the stock is reduced. Now is the time to take advantage of the prices. Remember we are headquarters for Spectacles and Eye Glasses. Eyes tested free of charge for headache, inflamed eyes, cataracts, etc. Old gold bought and taken in exchange by

F. D. KERNOCHAN,

Practical Optician and Eye Specialist, No. 17 North Street

FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL BARGAIN. MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES

SAPOLIO

When You Want Good Insurance!

In Old, Strong and Reliable Companies.

CALL ON

E. E. CONKLING, Middletown.

He Forebore.
"Do you believe that it's always the unexpected that happens?" inquired Miss Cayenne.
"I wouldn't venture to express myself on that subject," replied Willie Washington.
"Why not?"
"Because I am too polite to contradict the girls who, when you propose to them, invariably say: 'This is so sudden!'—Washington Star.

On the Wrong Track.
"Where do you want to go?" asked the elevator boy.
"I want to go to Heaven, my boy," smilingly answered the Salvation Army man who had stepped inside. "But you may put me off at the top floor."
"You must have got in the wrong buildin', mister," rejoined the boy. "There ain't nobody but lawyers on the top floor."—Chicago Tribune.

Evident.
"When I call on old Dandelion's daughter she's so saintly and pure and demure that I feel like a fish out of water."
"Then you must have been hooked, that is sure."
—Judge.

WHICH ACCOUNTS FOR IT.



Mrs. Lafferty (visitor)—Your daughter has a fine touch, Mrs. Moriarty.
Mrs. M.—Yes; so they do be tellin' me; an' sure, 'tis no wonder, for she loves pianny, an' niver tires of it; she has a great taste for moosic; but thin that's owly natural, fer her gran'-father had his skull laid open wia a cornet at a timperance picnic.—Harlem Life.

The First Attempt.
The person gayly mounted his bike. And immediately fell on his head. His sense of humor it seemed to strike. "Here ends the first lesson," he said.

Made Him Young Again.
"A dinner such as we have had today," said the elderly boarder, "makes me feel like a young man."
"Indeed!" was all Mrs. Haseroff deigned to reply.

"Indeed. When I think of that lamb we had for dinner, I feel that if that was lamb I must be still a boy."—Odds and Ends.

Putting It Indirectly.
Inski—Look here: is it you that has been circulating the report that I hadn't washed my face in seven years?
Sinski—No. All I said was that if a mosquito wanted to tickle you he'd have to carry a shovel.—Indianapolis Journal.

Trying to Be Smart.
"I know a man who can tell the time to a second without looking at a clock."
"How does he do it?"
"He looks at his watch."—Chicago Record.

Apt Suggestion.
Lady (apparently very nervous at bargain counter)—Oh, dear! I can't think of what I want.

Affable Clerk—You'd better go to the notion counter, madam.—Philadelphia Call.

Ended in Marriage.
Mr. Peck—What is that book you are reading, my dear?
Mrs. Peck—It's a novel entitled: "A Fatal Flirtation."
Mr. Peck—Something like ours, I presume.—Chicago News.

Lapidity.
Jean—Why do you never speak to Mr. Outre? He is uncouth, but I feel sure he is a diamond in the rough.
Katherine—So do I. That's why I'm cutting him.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Safe Speculation.
Father—My boy here just swallowed a five-dollar gold piece.
Pownbroker—The doctor's office is just across the street.
Father—Yes—but can't you let me have \$2.50 on him?—Pittsburgh Courier.

A Fatal Drawback.
Puff—What a literary-looking chap that fellow Blevins is, to be sure. You could tell he knew how to write at a glance.
Critic—Yes—if you hadn't read his books.—Brooklyn Life.

That Coal Surplus.
Coal Operator (despondently)—I wish a way could be found to relieve the glut in the coal market.
Consumer (confidentially)—Tell the dealers to give better weight.—N. Y. Weekly.

An Attempt.
"How would you define patriot?"
"I should say a patriot is a man who takes an interest in his country's welfare, even the morning after his party has been snowed under."—Puck.

A Preventive.
"Jones said every time he breathed a man died."
"Great heavens! Why don't he use clovers?"—Memphis Appeal.

An Opinion.
Edith—Jack says his father threatens to disinheret him.
Marie—That is a mere bluff to make you think his father has money.—Puck.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.
For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the number and location of the fire alarm boxes in this city:
14—Wickham Ave., cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shop.
16—North St. and Wagon Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad avenue and Montgomery street.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
19—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
20—West Main street and Walkhill avenue.
21—North street, corner Madison avenue.
22—James and Henry streets.
23—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
24—Lake avenue and West street.
25—W. Main street, corner Monaghan avenue.
26—State Hospital Gate.
27—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
28—Rear of State Hospital.
29—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
30—High and Hanford streets.
31—Canal street, condenser.
32—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
33—Fairview avenue and South street.
34—Fulton street and East avenue.
35—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
36—Kadina street and Railroad avenue.
37—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
38—Academy avenue and Genung street.
39—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
40—East street and Sprague avenues.
41—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
42—North street, near Orchard.
43—Franklin Square.
44—King before a box number, denotes that a bell is being made.
1 stroke denotes direct broken.
2-2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call.
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
4 strokes of bell denotes recall, fire is out.

For Over Fifty Years.
Mrs. WISLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while yet in infancy, and for the children while your child is a sick child, suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, and at once get a bottle of Mrs. Wislow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. It will save the mother's sufferings immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhea, regulates the Stomach and bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the bowels, reduces inflammation and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Wislow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the best and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Wislow's Soothing Syrup." d&w

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in Three Days.

Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had inflammatory rheumatism in every muscle and joint, her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen beyond recognition; had been in for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the Mystic Cure for Rheumatism. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by J. E. Mills, No. 2 Empire Block, Druggist, Middletown.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

The fact is clear: *Castoria* is the best medicine for infants and children.

J. A. Perkins, of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years needlessly tortured by physicians for the cure of eczema. He was quickly cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the famous healing salve for piles and skin diseases. W. D. Olney.

Mrs. Stark, Pleasant Ridge, O., says, "After two doctors gave up my boy to die, I saved him from a cruel fate by using One Minute Cough Cure." It is the quickest and most certain remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

A Giant Nerve Builder.

The Mystic Life Renewer is the most powerful nerve builder known. It absolutely cures all forms of nervous diseases and weakness no matter how aggravated or of how long duration, such as neuralgia, nervous prostration, nervous paroxysms, St. Vitus's dance, palpitation of the heart, physical and mental weakness, debility of old age etc. Sold by J. E. Mills, No. 2 Empire Block, Druggists, Middletown.

A Sensible Man

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs. It is curing more cases of coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung troubles, than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized any druggist to give you a sample bottle free to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured.

L. Wagner, wholesale druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of sciatic rheumatism, was laid up almost two months; was fortunate enough to get Mystic Cure For Rheumatism. This cured me after doctors' prescriptions had failed to have any effect. I have also heard of fine results from others who have used it." J. E. Mills, Druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown, N. Y.

Stop dragging yourself with quack nostrums or "cures." Get a well-known pharmaceutical remedy that will do the work. Catarrh and cold in the head will not cause suffering if Ely's Cream Balm is used. Druggist will supply 10c trial size or 50c full size. We mail it.

Ely Bros., 56 Warren St. N. Y. City.
Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement. "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Emanuel W. Poole, Pastor Central Presbyterian Church, Helena, Mont.

Miss Allie Hughes, Norfolk, Va., was frightfully burned on the face and neck. Pain was instantly relieved by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which healed the injury without leaving a scar. It is the famous pile remedy. W. D. Olney.

Beauty is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Edicate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. No. 25c. If C. C. C. fails, druggist refund money.

Time Table in Effect Dec. 12th, 1897.
NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	AM	MA	MA	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM	PM
N. Y. Leave	7:00	7:15	7:30	7:45	8:00	8:15	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45
Franklin St.	7:05	7:20	7:35	7:50	8:05	8:20	8:35	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50
W. 42d St.	7:10	7:25	7:40	7:55	8:10	8:25	8:40	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55
Westchester	7:15	7:30	7:45	8:00	8:15	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00
Cornwall	7:20	7:35	7:50	8:05	8:20	8:35	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05
Stony Ford	7:25	7:40	7:55	8:10	8:25	8:40	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10
Wurtsboro	7:30	7:45	8:00	8:15	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15
Summitville	7:35	7:50	8:05	8:20	8:35	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20
Ellenville	7:40	7:55	8:10	8:25	8:40	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25
Paisburg	7:45	8:00	8:15	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30
Watson	7:50	8:05	8:20	8:35	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35
Watson	7:55	8:10	8:25	8:40	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40
Watson	8:00	8:15	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45
Watson	8:05	8:20	8:35	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50
Watson	8:10	8:25	8:40	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55
Watson	8:15	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00
Watson	8:20	8:35	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05
Watson	8:25	8:40	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10
Watson	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15
Watson	8:35	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20
Watson	8:40	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25
Watson	8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30
Watson	8:50	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35
Watson	8:55	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40
Watson	9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45
Watson	9:05	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50
Watson	9:10	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55
Watson	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45	15:00
Watson	9:20	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50	15:05
Watson	9:25	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55	15:10
Watson	9:30	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45	15:00	15:15
Watson	9:35	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50	15:05	15:20
Watson	9:40	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55	15:10	15:25
Watson	9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45	15:00	15:15	15:30
Watson	9:50	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50	15:05	15:20	15:35
Watson	9:55	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55	15:10	15:25	15:40
Watson	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45	15:00	15:15	15:30	15:45
Watson	10:05	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50	15:05	15:20	15:35	15:50
Watson	10:10	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55	15:10	15:25	15:40	15:55
Watson	10:15	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45	15:00	15:15	15:30	15:45	16:00
Watson	10:20	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50	15:05	15:20	15:35	15:50	16:05
Watson	10:25	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55	15:10	15:25	15:40	15:55	16:10
Watson	10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45	15:00	15:15	15:30	15:45	16:00	16:15
Watson	10:35	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50	15:05	15:20	15:35	15:50	16:05	16:20
Watson	10:40	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55	15:10	15:25	15:40	15:55	16:10	16:25
Watson	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45	13:00	13:15	13:30	13:45	14:00	14:15	14:30	14:45	15:00	15:15	15:30	15:45	16:00	16:15	16:30
Watson	10:50	11:05	11:20	11:35	11:50	12:05	12:20	12:35	12:50	13:05	13:20	13:35	13:50	14:05	14:20	14:35	14:50	15:05	15:20	15:35	15:50	16:05	16:20	16:35
Watson	10:55	11:10	11:25	11:40	11:55	12:10	12:25	12:40	12:55	13:10	13:25	13:40	13:55	14:10	14:25	14:40	14:55	15:10	15:25	15:40	15:55	16:10	16:25	16:40
Watson	11:00	11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	12:30	12:45																

